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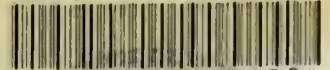
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Plymouth County

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1980 Federal Census, 9161, preliminary figure—land area 21 square miles—normal temperature, January, 27.0°F—normal temperature, July 70.9°F—elevation at Town Hall, approx. 81 ft. above mean sea level—Town Meeting form of government with 3-member board of selectmen as executive authority.

REPRESENTATIVES IN STATE AND FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

U. S. Senators:	Edward M. Kennedy, Hyannis (D)	State Representative,	
	Paul E. Tsongas, Lowell (D)	5th District:	William J. Flynn, Jr., Hanover (D)
Representative in Congress,		Governor's Councillor,	
12th District:	Gerry E. Studds, Cohasset (D)	4th District:	Peter L. Eleey, Quincy (D)
State Senator,		County Commissioners:	Gerard F. Burke, Brockton (D)
1st Plymouth District:	Anna P. Buckley, Brockton (D)		Joseph W. McCarthy, Whitman (D)
			Matthew C. Striggles, Bridgewater (R)
		Sheriff, Plymouth County:	Peter Y. Flynn, Bridgewater (D)

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Town Officers, Boards, Departments, Committees, and Commissions

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ELECTED TOWN OFFICIALS

	Term Expires
BOARD OF ASSESSORS—Term 3 Years	
Donald D. Dionne, Chairman	1984
Sally I. Turner	1983
Francis I. Logue (Appt'd)	1982
James F. Staples, Resigned	
BOARD OF HEALTH—Term 3 Years	
Chester G. Horte, Chairman	1984
Arthur J. Garceau	1982
Judith Bernardi	1983
BOARD OF SELECTMEN—Term 3 Years	
Margaret M. O'Brien, Chairman	1983
David A. Mayers, Jr.	1982
J. Richard Hartigan	1984
BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS—Term 3 Years	
Robert J. Molla, Jr., Chairman	1982
Frederick H. St. Ours	1983
Albert H. Gunderway	1984
DIRECTOR OF LANDS AND NATURAL RESOURCES— Term 3 Years	
Wesley H. Osborne, Jr.	1983
HIGHWAY SURVEYOR—Term 3 Years	
E. Arnold Joseph	1983
MODERATOR—Term 1 Year	
Roger E. Hughes, Jr.	
NORWELL HOUSING AUTHORITY—Term 3 Years	
Dorothy M. Dickson, Chairman	1982
John F. Carnes, Jr.	1983
Fred N. Lavin	1982
Carol E. Mesheau	1983
Ann J. Valair (Appt'd by Dept. of Community Affairs)	1984
NORWELL PUBLIC LIBRARY TRUSTEES—Term 3 Years	
Jane Leason, Chairman	1984
Betty S. Reardon	1983
Alice B. Coakley	1982
Richard A. Leahy	1983
E. Wallace Coyle	1984
Judith A. Lowe	1982
PLANNING BOARD—Term 3 Years	
James W. Conover, Chairman	1984
Richard A. Merritt	1982
Peter T. Anderson	1983
Dr. Robert A. Edlund	1983
Anthony F. Buono	1984
E. Arnold Joseph, Work Supervisor	
SCHOOL COMMITTEE—Term 3 Years	
Mary E. Gunn, Chairman	1983
Robert R. Detwiler	1982
Elizabeth W. Gordon	1982
Richard B. Kearsley	1984
Robert L. Salamone	1984
SOUTH SHORE REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT—Term 3 Years	
Robert L. Molla, Jr.	1982
TOWN CLERK—Term 3 Years	
Martha A. Whitcher	1984
TOWN TREASURER/COLLECTOR—Term 3 Years	
Elizabeth J. Power	1983
Helen M. Marsden, Asst. Treasurer/Collector (Appt'd)	
Kenneth J. Bradeen, Deputy Collector (Appt'd)	

	Term Expires
ADVISORY BOARD—Term 3 Years	
Edward J. Dunford, Chairman	1982
Henry W. McLarey	1982
Clyde A. Woodworth	1982
Judith W. Greene	1983
Henry D. DeSantis	1983
Constance L. Hughes	1984
Robert J. Cahill	1984
James M. Daly, Jr.	1984
Rebecca Z. Freed	1983
ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER—Term 1 Year	
Robert Joseph	
William Hersey, Assistant	
BOARD OF APPEALS—Term 3 Years	
Richard A. Gaudette, Chairman	1982
Arthur J. Maglathin	1984
Arthur J. Sewell	1983
John W. Thompson, Jr., Associate	1984
Eileen L. Kelley, Associate	1983
BOARD OF REGISTRARS—Term 3 Years	
Mildred M. Carr	1983
Barbara M. Craven	1984
E. Lorraine MacLeod	1982
Martha A. Whitcher, Clerk	
BUILDING INSPECTOR—Term 3 Years	
Richard C. Wiley	1983
CABLE TV STUDY COMMITTEE—Term 1 Year	
Richard R. Tedeschi	John Petze
Richard P. Johnson	Bruce Donahue
John Metivier	Judith Lowe
William Bernardi	
CAPITAL BUDGET COMMITTEE—Term 3 Years	
Malcom Trojano	1982
Douglas Donahue	1983
Mance Ekas	1983
CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE—Term 3 Years	
Bruce Donahue	1984
Joan Virta	1984
Richard Rogers	1984
Janice Litchfield	1984
CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR—Term 3 Years	
Herbert B. Fulton	1982
Clarke Atwater, Emeritus	
COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE	
Gretchen Coolidge	
COMMUNITY RESOURCES COMMITTEE—Term 1 Year	
William Stewart	
Kathleen Smith	
COMMUNICATIONS STUDY COMMITTEE—Term 1 Year	
Warren P. Merritt, Fire Chief	Charles Nelson
Herbert B. Fulton, Civil Defense Director	
David H. Nichols, Acting Police Chief	Dorothy Dwyer
Edward F. Maguire, III	Barbara J. Benzaquin
George E. Lane, Jr.	Rose Leahy
CONSERVATION COMMISSION—Term 3 Years	
Fred Anderson, Jr.	19
W. Clifford Prentiss	1982
Donald L. Greene	1982
A. Gail Storm	1984
Allan H. Chase	1984
David E. Newton	1983
Edward D. Boyle	1983

Town Officers, Boards, Departments, Committees, Committees, and Commissions (contd.)

Term Expires

CONSTABLES—Term 3 Years

Harland Farrar	1982
Theodore Baldwin	1982
Janet Tulis	1982
Richard E. Ramponi	1982
Richard Farrar	1983
Joseph Strazdes	1984

COUNCIL FOR THE ARTS

Mary Lizotte, Chairman	Jean S. Simms
Lawrence J. Wolfe	Harold S. Simms
Pamela J. Wolfe	Elizabeth Kelliher, Resigned
David C. Bond	

COUNCIL ON AGING—Term 3 Years

Dorothy M. Dickson, Chairman	1983
John P. Carnes, Jr.	1984
Dorothy L. Lohnes	1983
Ruth E. Cushman	1984
Alice E. Regan	1982
William J. Madden	1982
Kathleen Cushing	1984

COUNTY COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SERVICE—Term 1 Year

E. Dana Cashin
James P. Kelly, Alternative

DESIGN REVIEW BOARD—Term 3 Years

John F. Wilson, Chairman	1983
William A. Bernardi	1983
Edward W. Pyne, Jr.	1983
Thomas F. O'Neil	1983
Edward D. Doherty	1983
Constance L. Hughes, Resigned	

DEVELOPMENT & INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION—Term 3 Years

Joseph Sammartino, Chairman	1984
Ralph Nixon	1982
James R. Kilborn	1982
John P. Donovan	1983
Myles D. Cassidy	1983

EMERGENCY COMMUNICATIONS CENTER BOARD

Warren P. Merritt, Fire Chief
Herbert B. Fulton, Civil Defense Director
David H. Nichols, Acting Police Chief

EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

Terence Finan

FENCE VIEWER

Robert L. Litchfield

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Warren P. Merritt, Chief

FIRE FIGHTERS—PERMANENT

Robert R. McLaughlin	Robert Benting
George E. Cavanagh	Kenneth Duty
Ronald T. Gunderway	James P. McElwee, Jr.
Joseph L. Davis	Thomas A. Reardon
Michael D. Henderson	Steven Jackman
Paul W. Roseback	

FOREST FIRE WARDEN—Term 1 Year

Warren P. Merritt

Deputy Forest Fire Warden—Term 1 Year

Loring L. Wadsworth

GOVERNMENT STUDY COMMISSION—Term 3 Years

No members appointed in 1981.

GROWTH POLICY COMMITTEE

No appointments or activity in 1981.



Term Expires

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT FINANCING AUTHORITY

Douglas Hajjar	1983
Edward F. Maguire	1984
Richard Merritt	1982
John Vaughn	1983
Paul R. Miles, resigned	

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS—Term 1 Year

Linton P. Cahill

INSPECTOR OF GAS PIPING & GAS APPLIANCES—Term 1 Year

George A. Beach
Alternates: John J. Winske, Jr.
James MacDonald, Jr.

INSPECTOR OF WIRES—Term 1 Year

John F. Moore

INSURANCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE—Term 3 Years

Joseph M. Falkowski	1983
Leonard W. Cole	1982
Gary M. Yeadon	1983

JACOBS POND COMMISSION—Term 3 Years

No members appointed in 1981.

MASS. BAY TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY—DESIGNEE TO THE ADVISORY BOARD

Margaret M. O'Brien

Town Officers, Boards, Departments, Committees, Committees, and Commissions (contd.)

	Term Expires		Term Expires
MASS. HISTORICAL COMMISSION—Term 3 Years		SCHOOL CROSSING GUARDS	
Quentin L. Coons	1984	June McLaughlin	
Wilbur L. Garside, Jr.	1982	Jacqueline Spargo	
Helen G. Lincoln	1983		
Mildred T. Hastings	1982	MATRONS	
Jonathan H. Bond	1983	Elinor T. Smith	Janet Tulis
David C. Bond	1983	June M. McLaughlin	Beatrice Bairstow
Charles E. White	1983		
David L. Turner		OFFICERS	
MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE		William C. Smith	
Dorothy M. Dickson		Frank N. Knudsen	
		John N. Mesheau	
METROPOLITAN AREA PLANNING COUNCIL REP.		RECREATION COMMISSION—Term 3 Years	
Margaret M. O'Brien	1983	Peter Kates, Chairman	1982
NORTH RIVER COMMISSION		Joanne Davis	1982
Kenneth J. Bradeen	Alternate: Nancy Kearsley	James P. Kelly	1984
PERMANENT BUILDING & MAINTENANCE COMMITTEE—		Dan T. Stearns	1983
Term 3 Years		Paul H. Crowley	1984
John D. MacLellan	1982	Dale Connor, Superintendent of Recreation	
Herbert B. Fulton	1984	Sara St. Ours, resigned	
George E. Walsh, Jr.	1983	Paul J. McCarthy, resigned	
No appointments made during the year 1981.		Judith P. Enright, resigned	
		Patricia Morrill, resigned	
PERSONNEL BOARD—Term 3 Years		Ronald E. Ritchie, resigned	
William O. Lincoln, Chairman	1983	ROUTE 3 CORRIDOR STUDY COMMITTEE	
Maria F. Dooley	1984	John C. Metivier	
Frederick Flavin	1984	SCENIC RIVERS PROGRAM, EXECUTIVE ADVISORY	
Martin L. Stern	1983	David Garceau	
Claudia A. Climer	1982	SEALER OF WEIGHT AND MEASURES	
PLUMBING INSPECTOR		Thomas H. Stevens	
George Beach		STETSON MEADOWS RECREATION COMMITTEE—Term 3 Years	
Alternates: John J. Winske, Jr., James F. MacDonald, Jr.		Jim Wilson	1982
PLYMOUTH COUNTY COMMISSIONERS—LAND ACQUISITION		Marie A. Tedeschi	1982
COMMITTEE ADVISORY COMMITTEE		William W. Coons	1983
No activity or appointments during 1981.		Frederick S. Holway, Jr.	1984
PLYMOUTH COUNTY ADVISORY BOARD		David Newton, Conservation Commission	
Margaret M. O'Brien		Wilbur Garside, Historical Commission	
POLICE DEPARTMENT		Kenneth Bradeen, North River Commission	
David H. Nichols, Acting Police Chief		Dale Connor, Recreation Commission Representative	
Peter L. DeStefano, resigned		James Kelly, Recreation Commission Representative	
SERGEANTS		Ronald Ritchie, resigned	
David H. Nichols	Richard C. Joseph	Judith Enright, resigned	
Donald Bongarzone	John J. Enright	TOWN ACCOUNTANT	
Robert J. Sullivan		Terence Finan	
PERMANENT POLICE OFFICERS		ASSISTANT TOWN ACCOUNTANT	
Theodore Baldwin	Dennis R. Lynch	Camille P. Hudson	
Gerald Buckley	John Matchett	TOWN REPORT COMMITTEE	
Robert E. Clark	John R. Melvin	Terence Finan	
Robert A. Clyde	Eugene Ryder, Jr.	Rollin Bailey, resigned	
Neil F. Connolly	David J. Zwicker	David C. Bond, resigned	
Joseph J. Grecco, Jr.	John B. Colameco, retired	TOWN COUNSEL	
Gerald J. Hegarty	John E. Martin, retired	Edward P. Ryan	
Carlton A. Kemp, Jr.	Henry V. Wormald, Jr., resigned	VETERAN'S AGENT—GURIAL AGENT—DIRECTOR OF	
PERMANENT INTERMITTENT PATROLMEN		VETERANS SERVICES	
Harland W. Farrar		Dorothy M. Dickson	
Robert J. Lynch		VETERAN'S GRAVES OFFICER	
AUXILIARY POLICE OFFICERS—Term 1 Year		Wesley H. Osborne, Jr.	
Gordon A. Lambert	Edward W. Quigley	WASHINGTON STREET CEMETERY COMMITTEE—Term 3 Years	
John A. Masson	Paul R. Sorenson, Jr.	Wilder A. Gaudette	1983
Richard S. Rogers, Jr.	James A. Calvani	Harland Farrar	1982
Philip Joseph		Joseph L. Davis	1982
SPECIAL POLICE OFFICERS—Term 1 Year			
Warren P. Merritt	Kenneth J. Bradeen		
Ellsworth G. Keene	Herbert B. Fulton		
Robert Molla, Sr.	Lloyd B. Henderson		

Selectmen & Town Counsel

Selectmen's Report

The Spring of 1981 became, as predicted, a particularly difficult time for those charged with the responsibility of planning for the Town's direction in Fiscal Year 1982 (July 1981 to June 30, 1982). Proposition 2½, enacted into law by statewide referendum at the election of November 1981, became a reality on July 1, 1982.

Hardest hit by budget cutbacks was the School Department—not because they were required to cut by a greater percentage than any other department, but the size of their budget meant that their cuts amounted to many more dollars than anybody else. The net result was personnel cuts of about 40, mostly in the teaching area, and reductions in course offerings and extra-curricular activities.

Police and other department staffs were cut back proportionally, either by direct layoff or by not replacing staff who left of their own accord.

At the time of writing, we are preparing to repeat the budget process for the next fiscal period (1983), and we find ourselves faced with a new problem. To calculate what our taxation limits are under Proposition 2½, we must know what the assessed value of the Town's real estate is. Our recent revaluation was hampered by a complete changeover in the staff of the Assessors' office, plus replacement of two of our three Assessors (one by defeat at the polls and the other by resignation). It seems unlikely that our new revaluation will be approved by the State much before March 1982. This means that the Annual Town Meeting of 1982 will probably follow the same pattern as the previous year. That is, the meeting will convene on the second Monday in March, as required by our Town By-Laws, but fiscal votes will have to be deferred until later when our budget limits are known.

In April of 1981 the Selectmen were startled to receive the resignation of Police Chief Peter DeStefano, whom they had appointed to the position little more than a year before. Sergeant David Nichols was appointed as Acting Police Chief.

This setback caused the Board to rethink their position relative to the Chief of Police. For a while serious consideration was given to removing the position from under the control of Civil Service. This would have given us more flexibility in choosing a new Chief, as well as speeding up the process. After careful consideration, the Board finally voted to leave the position under Civil Service.

We are currently working with a group of specialists from the Massachusetts Municipal Association (M.M.A.) to be sure that the next Police Chief of Norwell is perfectly suited for the job. The M.M.A. is conducting this study under a grant from the Intergovernmental Personnel Association. It should be noted that the decision has already been made to select our next Chief from among our five sergeants.

The second phase of the \$800,000 drainage project in the Norwell Homes area was completed in late fall. This was not without complications, however. It was discovered that the outflow pipe for the entire system would run into conservation land. Under the terms of the State Grant that helped us purchase this land, no structure could be built without an act of the Legislature. Due to the invaluable help of William Stewart of the Community Resources Committee, Governor King was persuaded to sign a special act to allow the structure.

During the year, the Cable T.V. Committee was appointed and, at the time of writing, have solicited bids for Cable T.V. coverage of the Town.

In midsummer the Wompatuck State Park Advisory Board proposed studies to build another access road to the western side of the Park, or, at least, open another gate on that side. This proposal was hotly contested by Norwell's representatives, as it seems that all access routes proposed would be across the heavily populated northwest part of our Town. The debate is still going on and the Selectmen are watching developments closely.

A group of our teachers, while visiting England in the summer, made contact with the Parish Council of Norwell, Nottinghamshire. One of the results of this contact has been some interesting correspondence between some of our school children and their counterparts in the United Kingdom.

Finally, our thanks and gratitude to all citizens who serve our Town in various capacities.

Court Cases Open—1981

1. John Petze et als v. Toiva Jarvinen
Plymouth Superior Court No. E3252
Appeals Court No. 81-73
2. Toiva Jarvinen v. Town of Norwell
Plymouth Superior Court No. 61333
3. Petrell Land Development Corp. v. Town of Norwell
Plymouth Superior Court No. 60491
4. Town of Norwell et als v. Anthony V. Orlando et als
Plymouth Superior Court No. E5123
5. William Frado et als v. Robert M. Maglathlin et als
Plymouth Superior Court No. CA76-2934
6. Rose Tufankjian, Trustee vs. Richard A. Gaudette et al
(ZBA)
Plymouth Superior Court No. CA76-4275
7. Russell D. Harvey, Jr. v. Town of Norwell
Plymouth Superior Court No. 61914
8. John M. Marsh v. Arthur J., Sewell et al
Plymouth Superior Court No. 78-7874 and 79-9103
9. Town of Norwell v. Richard Burt
Plymouth Superior Court No. CA78-7366
10. Michael Gillen et als v. Norwell Board of Appeals and
Grossman's
Plymouth Superior Court No. CA80-12404
11. Town of Norwell v. Earl H. Merrifield et ux
Plymouth Probate Court No. E1874
12. Hancock Bank & Trust Company v. Town of Norwell
and Dukes
Plymouth Superior Court No. CA81-13256
13. Her-Lo, Limited v. J. Richard Hartigan et al
United States District Court No. 81-3119-N

Court Cases Closed—1981

1. Douglas Parker v. Town of Norwell
Plymouth Superior Court No. CA75-2127
2. William P. Martin et als v. Robert M. Maglathlin et als
(ZBA)
Plymouth Superior Court No. CA76-2196
3. Paul E. Paradise et al v. Robert N. Maglathlin et al
(ZBA)
Plymouth Superior Court No. CA77-4506
4. Neil F. Connolly et al v. George D. Williams et al
Plymouth Superior Court No. CA77-6096
5. Charles J. Tubman et al v. Town of Norwell
Plymouth Superior Court No. CA78-7047
6. John Matchett, Treasurer, Norwell Police Association
v. Paul Miles et al
Plymouth Superior Court No. CA79-9988
7. Richard D. Joseph v. David Marchand, Personnel Ad-
ministrator, et al
Plymouth Superior Court No. CA79-9931
Appeals Court No. 80-428
8. Cassidy & Lee, Inc. v. Town of Norwell
Plymouth Superior Court No. 61973

Inspectors

Building Inspector

A total of 312 Building Permits were issued this year by the Building Department, and subsequent inspections necessary for same were made. A breakdown of the various kinds of permits issued follows:

RESIDENTIAL:

New Dwellings	25
Alt. and Additions	103
Pools	19
Demolition	1
Replacement Permits	4
Tents	3
Barns/Sheds	2
Solar	7
Woodstoves	88
Tennis Courts	1
Masonry Chimneys	5

COMMERCIAL:

New Office/Retail Bldgs	7
New Industrial Bldgs	1
Alt. & Additions	14
New Inn	1
Construction Trailers	5
Signs	25
Commercial Foundation	1

With the increase in commercial building which has transpired over the year, there are many new business and professional offices as well as retail stores in existence. In order to assist in rendering Town services, such as police and fire protection, all Owners and/or Tenants of same are requested to call this Department at 659-4946 X-10, before any change in use or occupancy is made, per Section 119.0, of the State Building Code.

Inspector of Wires

The 1981 Massachusetts Electrical Code was revised and became law in January. This new code includes several hun-

dred changes, as well as sections of the State Building Code, Architectural Barriers Board, and new rules for fire alarms.

This requires more communication between the Inspectors and is working well with cooperation between the departments.

There were 241 Wiring Permits issued this year. A breakdown is as follows:

Residential Permits Issued:	195
Commercial Permits Issued:	46
Stop Order:	1
Report to Board of Examiners:	1

All inspections are being made and enforced under the 1981 Code. When an inspection is required, word may be left at my office at Town Hall at 659-4946, X-10.

Gas and Plumbing Inspectors

This year there was a great deal of commercial building on Washington Street, Accord Park, and Assinippi Park.

81 Gas Permits were issued: 69 Residential; and 12 Commercial. There were 135 Plumbing Permits issued: 114 Residential and 21 Commercial.

1982 will see the building of two large commercial buildings in Assinippi Park: Eastern Uniform and Holiday Inn.

Sealer of Weights & Measures

Weighing and measuring laws have been strictly enforced throughout the 1981 year.

One hundred and sixteen (116) devices have been inspected and sealed.

The buying public should at all times observe weighing and measuring devices while purchasing and report any violations to me.



Norwell Gardens

Town Clerk's Report & Records

Annual Town Meeting

March 9, 1981

Pursuant to the Warrant, the eligible voters met at the Junior High School, Main Street, in the gymnasium on Monday, March 9, 1981. A total of 395 registered voters were present during the evening.

A quorum was present at 7:31 p.m. The Moderator, Roger Hughes, Jr. called the meeting to order at 7:40 p.m. The Town Clerk read the return of service of the Warrant by the Constable Theodore Baldwin. In the absence of a clergyman, the Moderator led us in a prayer. Mr. George Whitcher led the assembly in the salute to the flag.

The Moderator then introduced the Town Clerk and her assistant, Lorraine Olsen, the Selectmen, the Advisory Board and our Representative, William Flynn.

The Moderator's "Rules of Conduct":

1. Speakers go to front row seats before planning to speak.
2. Permission must be given in advance for presentations longer than the 10 minute limit.
3. Restriction of opposition's unified statement to 10 minutes.
4. All other remarks will be restricted to 5 minutes per person, total, on any one article.
5. One motion to amend before the floor at any one time.
6. Vote on "second" before going to other amendments.
7. No personalities; keep to the issue.
8. Topic under discussion, only one to be discussed.
9. Reconsideration of any action taken on any article will be allowed during evening following the meeting of action, only.
10. Non-voters will be allowed to speak—will be allowed to be seated in bleachers to the right of the moderator—cannot vote.
11. Use colored cards when standing for vote count.

Mr. Wesley Osborne, Director of Tree and Public Grounds announced a public hearing to be held on March 17, 1981 at the Norwell Public Library concerning the gypsy moth problem in town.

Joseph Carty, Chairman of the Advisory Board presented the Board's explanation of the procedures for the evening as follows:

The Selectmen and Advisory Board agreed to meet the mandate of Proposition 2½ by proposing a 7% across the board cut with additional budget reductions. Please bear in mind that our responsibility and capacity is to advise. Some may feel we have usurped the power advocated by Proposition 2½ but a process of reduction had to proceed and we are attempting to do just that.

You may ask why the Annual Town Meeting is being held when the full implication of Proposition 2½ and the budget is far from complete. Our Town By-laws require the Annual Town Meeting to commence the second Monday in March, so here we are. We have adhered to that By-law and with the full cooperation of the Selectmen will proceed with the non-financial and transfer articles this evening.

On June 1, 1981 as proposed in the resolution, the postponed Annual Town Meeting for financial articles will convene to vote on the Budget (Article 2) and Capital items (Article 3) and the remainder of financial impact articles.

One hundred and twenty-five days ago the Advisory Board's arduous task began and has not stopped as of this evening and will continue till June first. The mandate of Proposition 2½ has caused us to review our past budget procedures; you recall that with the aid of guideline budgeting, we worked with an annual percentage increase to meet the budget projections and these projections were received and voted upon by the Town. This approach had worked well for the

past seven years. This year for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1981—fiscal year 1982—the percentage decrease of 7% or more has been applied due to Proposition 2½. Thus in prior years the town could determine its own destiny to a point and accepted that fact. Now this control has been replaced by recommended budget cuts to meet a figure which is at least 7% or lower than last year's budget. This process to reduce the Budget consumed many hours and meetings with all Boards and Committees, so that when we did commence the budget hearing process we as a Board were confident that our ducks were all in a row and that the people who appeared before us knew what was required to meet the reduction in their budgets. Although we do not have final budgets for all of the departments completed as of this evening, we would like to give you some of the cuts you may expect in Town services at this time. With but a few exceptions, all departments were cut a minimum of 7% with cuts of up to 25% of the Fiscal Year 1981 budgets (this current year). These cuts will result in projected school layoffs of some forty-five employees; closing of one school; layoffs of three policemen and two firemen; reduction of Highway Department and Tree Department personnel and services; one and one-half nurse positions; a reduction of 22% of library hours; and other reductions in part-time employee hours. It will also bring about a substantial increase in fees for ambulance calls; building permit fees to include gas, plumbing and electrical; recreation fees; and water rate increases.

We as a Board would have loved to have the warrant completed for your vote this evening but this cannot be done because of the following four reasons:

1. **TIME**—We did not commence our budget hearings until just after January first. Normally we would start in mid November. The fact as mentioned about our many meetings plus consultation with Boards and Committees to meet the reductions of 2½ took many hours. We decided that there was no way to accomplish this task without doing an inferior job and letting the chips fall where they may to meet the March 9th (tonight) date. We were and are of the opinion that this would not be good business procedure and we were not appointed to operate in this manner. Thus the Selectmen and Advisory Board agreed to postpone the financial articles until June 1. We are firmly convinced that the delay was caused by sources and means beyond our control.

2. **CHANGE**—Communications Center is expected to move to the Police Station to remove what we believe to be a duplication in effort in many ways and to save money. There are a few problems to be addressed such as manning of the desk at the police Station by civilians except for the 8 to 4 shift Monday through Friday; the NPA requesting Bargaining over this change; possible wage differentials; transferring of equipment. We expect this situation to be working in the near future so that when July 1 rolls around the changes will be in force.

3. **COSTS**—Primarily energy—Electricity—This year Street Lights will cost \$38,000.00 with some changes in wattage and shutting off some lights. Next year's bill estimated to be \$59,000.00 without any changes. With the reduction in wattage and shutting off some lights this year will drop this figure to about \$52,000.00; we will have to cut even further. Bear in mind that originally we cut the cost to \$30,000.00 before next year's estimate. If we cut from \$53,000.00 to \$30,000.00 over half the lights will be shut off. At present there's a little over 600 lights. These are the types of things to be reviewed when we thought our original figure was good.

4. **VALUATION**—We had been assured by the Board of Assessors that a valuation of \$250,000,000.00 (up from our current \$116,000,000.00) was a good figure to use in our process to arrive at the reductions mandated by Proposition 2½.

Now a private party has advised us that the figure of \$213,000,000.00 which the State said we could use temporarily until the revaluation is completed is in his opinion a realistic figure. The final figure may be between \$213,000,000.00 and \$250,000,000.00. If this is so we will have to cut over \$300,000.00 above the \$700,000.00 already cut. Right after this Town Meeting we will go back to work and make these additional cuts.

POINTS OF INFORMATION. If the revaluation figure is lower as I mentioned then the tax rate will be in the low thirties.

As of this meeting we are going to recommend at least \$500,000.00 free cash be used for Fiscal 1982 tax rate purposes.

We are not out of the woods yet pertaining to this fiscal year's budget ending June 30, 1981.

As you are probably aware after you have recently received your excise tax bill on your vehicles, the monies due is substantially less. This was due to Proposition 2½ lowering the tax from \$66/1000 evaluation to \$25/1000 evaluation. When the tax rate was set last fall, the estimate for excise taxes was based on \$66/1000 and when Proposition 2½ was passed, the excise tax reduction came into effect one month later. Thus there is a short fall of about \$275,000.00 in this year's budget which must be met, so we have asked all departments to reduce their full year's budget by 4% to meet this goal. With costs escalating, such as electricity where the Water Department's monthly bill was \$1900.00 and now is \$3900.00 and not on full force, you see the dilemma it will be to meet these cuts in some departments. However, if this 4% cut is not achieved, the Town will enter deficit spending which will effect next year's tax rate if the \$275,000.00 figure is not met. A special town meeting will not have to be called to meet any short fall. The short fall will come from free cash. Right after this meeting we will also check with all departments to see if we can make this goal.

We are not relating to you anything you as a voter do not already know. This is an extraordinary year and we have put in an average of 70 hours almost three days work and the job is still not done. We will do the job given the facts I have given you but need your vote to postpone the financial articles. The job is not easy and we believe you can appreciate this. I'll tell you one thing that this Board is as dedicated to your well being and concerns as any I have been associated with. I'm proud to serve as their chairman.

Our Representative, the Honorable William Flynn spoke briefly. He said that there is not much support on making amendments to 2½, but by working together we can have more efficient government.

Neal Smith, of the Advisory Board moved the Procedural Article.

MOVED, SECONDED AND VOTED, by a majority that the Town postpone action on Articles 2, 3, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 17, 19, 20 through 27, 30, 42 and 46 to an adjourned session of the Annual Town Meeting to be held on June 1, 1981 at 7:30 p.m. at the Junior High School and further vote to adjourn to said time and place after completion of action on Article 45.

Mrs. Jackie Magazu questioned why there was not a vote of the Town to move the Communication Center and to postpone the money articles.

David Mayers, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen said that we are voting by Town Meeting.

ARTICLE 1

Voted, unanimously, that the Town accept the reports of its Officers, Boards, Departments, Committees and Commissions, as printed in 1980 Annual Report.

ARTICLE 4

Voted, unanimously, that the Town authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue for the financial year beginning July 1, 1981, in accordance with

General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and Acts in amendment thereof, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

ARTICLE 5

Voted, unanimously, that the Town appropriate and transfer the 1980 County Dog Tax Refund in the amount of \$170.71 to the School Department General Education Expenses account.

ARTICLE 6

Voted, unanimously, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$4,499.50 for the purpose of paying expenses of the Norwell Public Library, and to meet said appropriation that a like sum be transferred from funds paid to the Town by the Commonwealth under the provisions of Chapter 78, Section 19A.

ARTICLE 10

Voted, unanimously, that the Town appropriate and transfer from the Washington Street Cemetery Permanent Fund the sum of \$10,000.00 to be expended under the direction of the Washington Street Cemetery Committee, for the purpose of expanding the Washington Street Cemetery.

ARTICLE 15

voted, by a majority, that the Town establish a Norwell Centennial Commission to plan for the celebration of Norwell's Centennial in 1988, with seven members to be appointed by the Board of Selectmen.

ARTICLE 16

Indefinitely Postponed. (\$100.00 to be used to defray the expenses of the Centennial Commission).

ARTICLE 18

FAILED TO CARRY. (By-law change to ban the use of de-icing salts upon Public Ways of Town).

VOTED, by a majority, to take up Article 39 at this time.

ARTICLE 39

VOTED, by a majority, that the Town amend the By-Laws of the Town of Norwell, Article X, Section 14 by adding the following:

The use of de-icing salts upon the public sidewalks within the Town of Norwell is hereby banned.

ARTICLE 28

Indefinitely Postponed. (Board of Health rather than the Selectmen nominate the Animal Inspector).

ARTICLE 29

VOTED, by a majority, that the Town increase the following fees charged by the Town Clerk, to be effective July 1, 1981:

TITLE	FROM	TO
Issuing Marriage Licenses	4.00	10.00
Recording Out-of-State Marriages	2.00	3.00
Copying or issuing Certified Copies of Vital Statistics	2.00	3.00
Amendments, corrections or delayed Vital Statistics	2.00	5.00
Examination of Vital Records upon application	2.00	5.00
Certified Card Copies of Vital Statistics	1.00	2.00
Voter I.D. Cards	1.00	2.00
Filing Business Certificates	1.00	10.00
Filing Change in Business Certificates	1.00	5.00
Certified Copy of Business Certificates	1.00	3.00
Recording Medical Registrations	1.00	10.00
Recording Power of Attorney	1.00	5.00

Recording Any Other Documents		5.00 1st page 2.00 ea addt'l
Filing Declaration of Trust	5.00	10.00
Recording Public Cemetery Plots	1.00	5.00
Filing inventories of "closing out sales"	1.00 page	2.00 page
Filing assignment for creditors	1.00	5.00
Pole Locations	4.50 each 3.50 ea addt'l way	25.00 flat rate 5.00 addt'l fee

ARTICLE 31

FAILED TO CARRY. (By-Law change to remove committee members with repeated unexplained absences).

ARTICLE 32

Voted, by a majority, that the Town amend the by-laws by adding the following to Article XI; Section 7:

DEALERS IN PRECIOUS METALS

License required;

No person shall collect, deal or keep a shop for the purpose of purchase, barter or sale of secondhand articles containing precious metals or semi-precious metals, nor store the same in any building, nor place within the limits of the Town without the issuance of a license for this purpose, issued by the Board of Selectmen or appointed authority.

Issuance; contents; terms; fee.

Selectmen may license suitable persons to be dealers in, and keepers of shops for purchase, sale, barter of junk, precious metals or secondhand jewelry, at such place in the Town, as designated in license, and under such conditions and restrictions as prescribed, which shall be incorporated in the license. Such license shall continue in force till the first day of May, then next issuing, unless sooner revoked; provided that such license may be granted in April to take effect the first day of May. The licensee shall pay said fee to the Town Clerk for the use of the Town.

General rules and regulations.

No keeper of a shop as described in this section shall directly or indirectly, either purchase or receive by way of barter or exchange any articles from a minor, knowing or having reason to believe them to be such. No article purchased or received shall be sold or altered in appearance, form or substance until a period of at least 10 days after written notice on approved form to the Police Station, delivered in hand or by registered mail, this being required weekly or sooner. Such shopkeeper shall not have his shop open for business nor shall he purchase any articles covered in the license except between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 9:00 P.M.

Reporting transactions.

Every such shopkeeper dealing in the purchase, barter or taking in possession, shall report all transactions of junk jewelry, old metals, secondhand jewelry, precious metals or semi-precious metals and shall keep a record of the transactions.

Record book; forms.

Every licensee shall keep records on the premises in a form approved by the Police showing the time, date, sale, exchange or receipt for the purpose of sale. This shall be written in English, legibly and give description of all marks and numbers, manufacturer's names or any identifying marks on articles, name and address of seller, date of birth, social security number and name of the owner if not the same as the seller.

Record book; contents.

Such description shall also include the identifying number or numbers and shall also include a statement that the identifying number or numbers have been removed, defaced, altered, changed, destroyed, obliterated or mutilated if such is the fact. Such book shall at all times be open for the inspection of the Chief of Police, any member of the Police force, any member

of the Board of Selectmen. All articles kept shall be available for inspection by the above. No articles are to be destroyed, altered, melted, etc. prior to the period required by licensing authority.

Whoever violates any provision of this Section shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$50.00 nor more than \$100.00.

ARTICLE 33

Voted, by a majority, that the Town accept the following way:

ACCORD PARK DRIVE

as a Town Way, as laid out by the Selectmen, in accordance with descriptions and plans presented at a hearing in the Cushing Memorial Town Hall and now on file in the Town Clerk's Office, without appropriation.

ARTICLE 34

INDEFINITELY POSTPONED. (Increasing the amount on contracts requiring bidding from \$2,000.00 to \$4,000.00).

ARTICLE 35

FAILED TO CARRY. (By-Law change to remove necessity of delivering Town Reports to each household).

ARTICLE 36

Voted, by a majority, that the Town instruct the Selectmen to form a 5 member committee to study Cable TV and its possible impact upon the Town. Report to Selectmen before December 1981 and to the Town at the next Annual Town Meeting.

ARTICLE 37

Voted, unanimously, that the Town amend the Town of Norwell Zoning By-Laws, Article IV, Section 4210 as amended to March 18, 1980, said amendment being an amendment of Town of Norwell Wetlands Maps dated April 5, 1974, and consisting of additions to and deletions from portions of the Flood Plain, Watershed and Wetlands Protection District as shown on maps numbered 63 of 129 and 76 of 129 of the aforesaid Town of Norwell Wetlands Map dated April 5, 1974, so that the final location of the Flood Plain, Watershed and Wetlands Protection District will be as shown on a plan entitled 'Plan of 1981 Amendment to Town of Norwell Wetland Maps dated January 5, 1981, by Bradford Saivetz and Associates, Inc., Braintree, MA., on file with the Town Clerk.

A public hearing was held on February 23, 1981 by the Planning Board and had been properly posted and advertised.

The Planning Board reported that all five members were in favor of this article.

ARTICLE 38

Voted, unanimously, that the Town amend the Zoning By-law so that all of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, Block 16, shown on Sheets 5C, 5D and 11A of the Atlas of the Town of Norwell, situated on the westerly side of Pond Street, now designated Business District B4, be hereafter designated Business District C1.

A public hearing was held on February 23, 1981 by the Planning Board and had been properly posted and advertised.

The Planning Board reported that three members are in favor, two members are opposed to this article.

ARTICLE 39

Taken up after Article 18.

ARTICLE 40

FAILED TO CARRY (Police Chief pay ratio differential).

ARTICLE 41

FAILED TO CARRY. (Allowing Chief of Police to make suitable regulations governing the police department, subject to later approval of the Selectmen).

ARTICLE 43

Voted, by a majority, that the Town transfer the management, control and supervision of the School Nurses from the Board of Health to the School Committee.

ARTICLE 44

Voted, unanimously, that the Town amend the Consolidated Personnel By-Law by striking out subsection 8H (4)(b) and substituting therefor the following:

- (b) The eligibility date for employees occupying a position in a class for which the compensation is provided in Schedule B (annual Salary Schedule) of the compensation plan shall be at the completion of 12 months service and, thereafter, upon completion of 12 months satisfactory service since the previous increase until the maximum rate of the pay range for the class is reached; provided, however, that an employee appointed or hired at Step 1 shall be eligible for a raise to Step 2 upon the completion of six months service.

ARTICLE 45

Voted, unanimously, that the Town accept the provisions of Section 71E of Chapter 71 of the Massachusetts General Laws for the establishment of a Revolving Fund for the Adult Education Program.

At 11:15 P.M. it was moved, seconded and VOTED, by a majority to adjourn until Monday evening, June 1, 1981 at the Junior High School at 7:30 P.M.

Adjourned Annual Town Meeting

June 1, 1981

Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant, the eligible voters met in the gymnasium of the Junior High School on Main Street, on Monday, June 1, 1981. A total of 365 registered voters were checked in during the meeting.

The Moderator appointed Peter Kates as Head Teller. Other tellers appointed and sworn in by the Moderator were: Harry Merritt, William Lincoln, Donald Dionne and George Whitcher.

Checkers at the outside desk appointed by the Town Clerk were: Barbara J. Snow, Mildred M. Carr and Judith M. Resnick.

Jeffrey Perry was responsible for tape recording the meeting.

A quorum was present at 7:38 p.m. The Moderator called the meeting to order at 7:41 p.m.

Edward Dunford, Chairman of the Advisory Board moved to recess the Annual Meeting until after the completion of the Special Town Meeting. This was seconded and VOTED unanimously.

Special Town Meeting

June 1, 1981

Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant, the eligible voters met in the gymnasium of the Junior High School on Main Street, on Monday, June 1, 1981. A total of 365 registered voters were checked in during the meeting. The meeting was opened at 7:42 p.m.

Ed Dunford, Chairman of the Advisory Board introduced their Secretary and the members of the Advisory Board. He then praised Mr. Brown and Joe Carty for their many years of dedicated service to the town.

Peg O'Brien, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen introduced Town Counsel, the other members of the selectmen and the Executive Secretary Terence Finan.

Rev. Robert Mackie of St. Andrews Episcopal Church of Hanover gave the invocation.

Dorothy Dickson, Veterans' Agent led the assembly in the salute to the flag.

The Town Clerk read the Constable's return of service of the warrant. The Constable was Harland W. Farrar.

The Moderator, Roger Hughes, Jr. gave the procedures of conduct at the meeting. 1. Those who wish to speak advance to one of two mikes on the floor. Quietly move up to front row in front of either mike for recognition by Moderator. Speaker must identify himself. 2. Presentation of article limited to 10 minutes. 3. Opposition to article

limited to 10 minutes per individual. 4. Presentations over 10 minutes will be allowed only with prior permission from the moderator. 5. All other remarks, comments, or discussions on any article limited to 5 minutes per individual. 6. Limit of one motion to amend before the meeting at any one time. 7. Motions to amend must be presented to Moderator or Town Clerk prior to presentation to insure proper technical form. 8. Comments to issues only; no involvement of personalities. 9. Discuss topic under consideration on floor, only. 10. Non-voters may attend; must be seated by Constable in bleachers to Moderator's right. Non-voters will be allowed to speak on any issue but may not vote. 11. Colored tickets must be shown in all standing votes. Yellow eligible for both meetings and green eligible for Special Town Meeting only.

ARTICLE 1

Voted, unanimously, that the Town appropriate and transfer from Free Cash the sum of \$6,000.00 to be used by the Assessors to defray the expense of completing the revaluation of the Town.

ARTICLE 2

Voted, unanimously, that the Town appropriate and transfer from Free Cash the sum of \$4,100.00 to be applied to the following Fire Department Budget Items:

Line Item 2-74	Payroll	\$2,700.00
Line Item 2-76	Expenses	\$1,400.00

ARTICLE 3

Voted, unanimously, that the Town appropriate and transfer the following sums within the budget established under Article 2 at the 1980 Annual Town Meeting:

From: Line 2-4	Executive Secretary/Town Accountant Salary Account the sum of \$2,200.00
TO: Line 2-8	Town Hall Expenses
From: Line 2-4	the sum of \$400.00
From: Line 2-5	Executive Secretary Out-of-State Travel Account the sum of \$600.00, and
From: Line 2-7	Town Hall Custodian Salary Account the sum of \$2,000.00—total of \$3,000.00
TO: Line 2-128	Street Lights

ARTICLE 4

Voted, by a majority, that the Town appropriate and transfer from Free Cash the sum of \$50,000.00 to implement Energy Conservation Measures in the School Buildings.

ARTICLE 5

Voted, unanimously, that the Town appropriate and transfer from Free Cash the sum of \$14,000.00 for cleaning and repairing the Union Street Bridge, in a joint venture with the Town of Marshfield, as spelled out in an engineering report by Kelcey and Edwards, February 3, 1981, to be expended under the Direction of the Highway Surveyor.

ARTICLE 6

Voted, unanimously, that the Town appropriate and transfer the sum of \$4,000.00 from the Temporary Interest Account voted at the Annual Town Meeting March 17, 1980 under Article 2, Item 180, to the Treasurer's Tax Title Account, voted under Article 2, Item 18 at the same Town Meeting.

ARTICLE 7

Voted, unanimously, that the Town rescind the borrowing authorization under Article 55 in the Adjourned Annual Town Meeting on March 20, 1978.

ARTICLE 8

Voted, by a majority, that the Town amend the Wetlands Protection By-Law Article XVI-a, by adding the following:

Section 11. The conservation commission is authorized to establish filing fees to defray costs incurred in conducting hearings under the Wetlands Protection By-Law and to adopt

rules and regulations regarding the establishment and collection of such fees. Such rules and regulations may be adopted, or amended at any regularly scheduled meeting of the Conservation Commission subject to the approval of the Board of Selectmen. Upon such approval they shall be published once in a newspaper of general circulation in the Town, shall thereafter be posted for seven consecutive days in five conspicuous places, and shall become effective upon the expiration of said seven days.

ARTICLE 9

Voted, unanimously, that the Town accept the provisions of Section 53D of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws for the establishment of a Revolving Fund for self-supporting recreation services, the receipts of which shall be held by the Town Treasurer in a separate account and expended, without further appropriation, by the Recreation Commission, excepting that no funds may be used for the payment of salaries nor for the purchase of equipment, and said Fund shall not exceed five thousand dollars.

ARTICLE 10

VOTED, 175 YES and 145 NO, that the Town continue the Communication Center in its present location so that it can continue to service the general needs of the Town, including medical, fire, police and public works functions.

****SEE after procedural motion #2.**

ARTICLE 11

Voted, by a majority, that the Town amend the Consolidated Personnel By-law by deleting subsections (c) and (d) of paragraph 1 under Section 9C entitled Vacations and substituting the following at each of those places:

- (c) Three weeks following completion of 5 years continuous employment,
- (d) Four weeks following completion of 10 years continuous employment,

said amendment to become effective July 1, 1981.

ARTICLE 12

Voted, unanimously, that the Town amend Section 8.H (4)(2), by striking out subsection (4) and (5) and substituting therefor, the following:

- (4) At the completion of 42 months service or upon 12 months satisfactory service since the previous increase to Step 5; and
- (5) at the completion of 54 months service or upon 12 months satisfactory service since the previous increase to Step 6.

PROCEDURAL MOTION #1 (Article 13)

Voted, unanimously, that the Town increase the Appropriations Limit established by Chapter 151 of the Acts of 1979 by \$537,517.12 so that the Appropriations Limit as so increased will be \$8,249,971.68.

PROCEDURAL MOTION #2 (Article 14)

Voted, Unanimously, that the Town increase the Levy Limit established by Chapter 151 of the Acts of 1979, by not more than \$442,540.17 so that the Levy Limit as so increased will not be more than \$8,551,635.41.

**** Moved, seconded and voted by a majority, 135 Yes and 130 no to RECONSIDER Article 10.**

After lengthy discussion it was then Voted, by a majority, 163 yes and 158 no that Article 10 be in effect the way that it had been originally voted.

It was then moved, seconded and VOTED, unanimously, that we dissolve the Special Town Meeting since the business had been completed.

Adjourned Recessed Annual Town Meeting

June 1, 1981

The recessed adjourned Annual Town Meeting was called to order at 9:51 p.m. Since we had just finished the Special

Town Meeting there were no preliminaries.

ARTICLE 2

Moved, seconded and unanimously voted (with the exception of Article 2, Item 62, 67, 74A, 83, 101, 109, 115, 135-143, 159, 160 and 175, which were held for later discussion and vote) that the Town appropriate the sums of money indicated in the "Advisory Board Recommends" columns of the Transcripts of Articles in the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting, (Postponed Session), June 1, 1981, to provide for a Reserve Fund, and to fix the salaries and compensation for all Elected Officers; and to meet said appropriation to:

- 1) transfer the sum of \$5,948.00 from the Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund to Line 2-104, Cemetery Care.
- 2) raise by taxation the sum of \$112,000.00 and transfer the sum of \$38,000.00 from the Overlay Reserve to Line 2-158, Reserve Fund.
- 3) transfer the sum of \$200,000.00 from Federal Revenue Sharing Funds to Line 2-180 Interest and Maturing Debt—Principal, to be applied to the reduction of the debt on the 1972 High School, South Street
- 4) raise by taxation all other sums indicated in said "Advisory Board Recommends" columns.

Item 62 Police Department, Officers' Salaries/Payrolls. Amended to \$370,000.00 VOTED, by a majority.

Item 67 Police Department, Unleaded Gasoline—Other Departments. VOTED, by a majority at \$10,000.00

Item 74A Fire Department, Clerical Assistance. Amended to \$00.00 VOTED, by a majority.

Item 83 Emergency Communications Center, Payrolls. Amended to \$49,000.00. VOTED, by a majority.

Item 101 Tree and Grounds Department, Insect Pest Control. VOTED, by a majority \$3,000.00.

Item 109 Board of Health, School Hygienist's Salary. This was amended to \$9,500.00 which failed to carry. Moved, seconded and VOTED at \$00.00 by a majority.

Item 115 Mosquito Control, Mosquito Control Expense. This was amended to \$13,171.20 which failed to carry. Moved, seconded and VOTED at \$00.00 by a majority.

Item 135-143 School Department. This was amended to add \$600,000.00 to the total which failed to carry. VOTED, by a majority at \$5,225,265.00.

Item 159 Unclassified, Unemployment Compensation. This was amended to \$125,000.00. The Amendment carried. This was VOTED, by a majority.

Item 160 Unclassified, Group Insurance. VOTED, by a majority at \$155,000.00.

Item 175 Water Department, Expenses. VOTED, by a majority at \$68,000.00.

It was moved, seconded and unanimously VOTED to adjourn to Tuesday evening, June 2, 1981 at 7:30 p.m. in the gymnasium of the Junior High School. This was at 10:55 p.m.

Adjourned Annual Town Meeting

June 2, 1981

At 7:50 p.m. the Moderator announced that 100 eligible voters were needed in order to have a quorum to open the second session of the adjourned Annual Town Meeting. Telephones were available in the office of the school and there were also two pay phones available and dimes at the Town Clerks' desk.

At 8:25 p.m. a quorum was present and the meeting was

called to order by the Moderator. A total of 239 were checked during this meeting.

ARTICLE 3

Voted, by a majority, that the Town raise and appropriate the sums of money as indicated in the "Advisory Board Recommends" columns of the "Transcripts of Articles in the Warrants for the Annual Town Meeting, (Postponed Session) June 1, 1981, as printed under Article 3 to be expended under the direction of the Town officials or department heads designated for the purchase of equipment or for the purposes noted therein.

ARTICLE 7

Voted, unanimously, that the Town appropriate \$100,000.00 to be expended under the direction of the Board of Water Commissioners, for the laying and relaying of water mains, of not less than six inches but not more than sixteen inches in diameter, and for pump station rehabilitation and to meet said appropriation to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow the same in accordance with GL. c 44 as amended.

ARTICLE 8

INDEFINITELY POSTPONED. (Development and construction of a Pumping Station to supplement Town water system).

ARTICLE 9

Voted, unanimously, that the Town raise and appropriate \$60,000.00 to be expended under the direction of the Board of Water Commissioners for a well exploration and well development program. (An amendment to require exploration on Town owned property first was DEFEATED).

ARTICLE 11

INDEFINITELY POSTPONED. (\$1,500.00 for mosquito control).

The Moderator declared it his prerogative to change the order of the Articles at Town Meeting. We would do Article 13, then Article 14 and then Article 12. Discussion was allowed on all three at the same time.

ARTICLE 13

Voted, by a majority, that the Town authorize the Board of Health to withdraw from the South Shore Mosquito Control project.

ARTICLE 14

Voted, by a majority, that the Town authorize the Board of Health to enter into contract with the Plymouth County Mosquito Control project for the purpose of continuance of a regional mosquito control program.

ARTICLE 12

Voted, by a majority, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000.00 to be expended by the Board of Health for a mosquito control program.

ARTICLE 17

INDEFINITELY POSTPONED. (Converting Stetson Meadows into a sanitary landfill site for the Town).

ARTICLE 19

INDEFINITELY POSTPONED. (Chapter 497 of Acts of 1971, work on Highways).

ARTICLE 20

Voted, unanimously, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,444.00 to meet the Town's share of the cost of State Aid Highway Construction under Chapter 329, Acts of 1980, in conjunction with any available State funds, and in addition to transfer from Surplus Revenue the sum of \$31,331.00 to meet the State's share of the cost of this work, reimbursement received therefrom to be restored to unappropriated available funds in the Treasury.

ARTICLE 21

INDEFINITELY POSTPONED. (Acts of 1981 State Aid

Highway Construction available State funds).

ARTICLE 22

Voted, by a majority, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,776.00 to meet the Town's share of the cost of State Aid Highway Construction under Chapter 570, Acts of 1980, in conjunction with any available State funds, and in addition to transfer from Surplus Revenue the sum of \$17,328.00 to meet the State's share of the cost of this work, reimbursement received therefrom to be restored to unappropriated available funds in the Treasury.

ARTICLE 23

INDEFINITELY POSTPONED. (Drainage priority #6).

ARTICLE 24

INDEFINITELY POSTPONED. (Drainage priority #7).

ARTICLE 25

Voted, by a majority, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$25,000.00 for the construction of drainage improvements in accordance with drainage priority #8, said funds to be expended under the direction of the Highway Surveyor.

ARTICLE 26

INDEFINITELY POSTPONED. (Drainage priority #9).

ARTICLE 27

Voted, by a majority, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,000.00 to be expended under the direction of the Highway Surveyor, for resurfacing sections of town ways.

ARTICLE 30

INDEFINITELY POSTPONED. (Municipal offices move to Osborn School).

ARTICLE 42

FAILED TO CARRY. (Move Recreation Superintendent from Grade 9 on the Classification Plan to Grade 10).

ARTICLE 46

Voted, by a majority, that the Town appropriate and transfer from available funds the sum of \$758,000.00 and authorize the assessors to use this sum to decrease the tax rate for FY 1982.

ARTICLE 47

INSTRUCTIONS TO ELECTED OFFICERS.

I. Voted, by a majority, that the Selectmen be instructed to form an ad hoc committee of the Police Chief, Fire Chief, Director of Civil Defense and other appropriate people to attempt to save at least \$100,000.00 for the Town in the emergency communication area. Such savings could come about by consolidation or other means. This committee would make its report to the 1982 Annual Town Meeting.

SALE OF FISH RIGHTS

1. \$20.00 to John McVicar, 14 Gerard Rd.
2. \$16.00 to Richard Pantano, 104 River St.

It was moved, seconded and VOTED at 10:09 p.m. that the meeting be dissolved since the business had been completed.

Annual Town Election

March 14, 1981

Pursuant to the Warrant, the eligible voters met at the various precincts in the Town of Norwell to cast their votes for the candidates for Town offices.

In Precinct 1, the following election workers were present; Althea Dickman, *Warden*; Ruth A. Rowan, *Clerk*; *Tellers* were Ruth L. Farrar, Helen G. Reilly, Marguerite K. Marland, Anne M. Fridgen, Barbara J. Schow, Evelyn M. Cormier.

In Precinct 2, the following election workers were present; Peirce Fuller, *Warden*; Ann J. Valair, *Clerk*; *Tellers* were Mary T. Draheim, Josephine A. Bourdelais, Pamela C. McLcod, Carolyn W. MacLellan, Charles S. Morgan, Stephanie D. St. Ours.

In Precinct 3, the following election workers were present; B. Jean Snow, *Clerk*; Kathryn R. Hager, *Warden*; *Tellers* were Helen C. Harrow, Alice M. Connerty, Lorraine J. Dillon, Dorothy J. Meehan, Madelyn M. Wamsley, Sylvia MacKenzie.

In Precinct 1, Harland Farrar was Constable; in Precinct 2 Janet Tulis was Constable and in Precinct 3, Theodore Baldwin was Constable. Voting Machine Technician responsible for programming the voting machines prior to the election was David Nichols. Head Warden was Wilder A. Gaudette.

All the polls were opened by the Wardens at 12:00 noon and closed at 8:00 p.m. Precinct tallies were made in the precincts and taken to the office of the Town Clerk, where the final tally of all precincts was made in open meeting.

In Precinct 1, 354 votes were cast on the voting machines and 6 absentees cast for a total of 360.

In Precinct 2, 459 votes were cast on the voting machines and 25 absentees cast for a total of 484.

In Precinct 3, 390 votes were cast on the voting machines and 12 absentees cast for a total of 402.

Total tally of votes cast in all precincts was 1203 votes cast on the voting machines and 43 absentees cast for a total of 1246.

Tallying in open meeting at the Town Clerk's office, resulted in the following count of votes cast:

	Prec 1	Prec 2	Prec 3	Total
Board of Assessors—3 year term				
James P. Hall	79	171	115	365
Donald A. Dionne	265	287	258	810
Blanks	16	26	29	71
Board of Health—3 year term				
Chester G. Horte	235	305	272	812
Blanks	125	179	130	434
Board of Selectmen—3 year term				
J. Richard Harnigan	217	284	237	738
Write-in—Jackie Magazu	1	0	0	1
—Richard Merritt	0	1	0	1
Blanks	142	199	165	506
Board of Water Commissioners—3 year term				
Albert H. Gunderway	261	337	281	879
Blanks	99	147	121	367
Moderator—1 year term				
Roger E. Hughes, Jr.	259	361	317	937
Blanks	101	123	85	309
Norwell Housing Authority—3 year term				
Carol E. Mesheau	267	341	288	896
Blanks	93	143	114	350
Trustee, Norwell Public Library—3 year term—Vote for two				
Jane Leason	233	320	252	805
Mary T. Derochea	201	315	286	802
Blanks	286	333	266	885
Planning Board—3 year term—Vote for two				
James W. Conover	231	292	240	763
Anthony F. Buono	205	266	239	710
Write-in—Thomas Armstrong	0	1	0	1
Blanks	284	409	325	1018
School Committee—3 year term—Vote for two				
Samuel Ballerini	151	211	172	534
Richard B. Kearsley	179	281	268	728
Robert L. Salamone	247	290	226	763
Blanks	143	186	138	467
Town Clerk—3 year term				
Martha A. Whitcher	279	365	324	968
Blanks	81	119	78	278
Non-Binding Question:				
Resolution to cease spending on military programs.				
YES	46	94	71	211
NO	66	91	72	229
Blanks	248	299	259	806

I hereby certify that all the amounts herein contained were voted to be raised and appropriated, or appropriated and transferred or authorized to be borrowed—all voted at the Annual and Adjourned Town Meetings held March 9 and June 1 and 2, 1981.

A TRUE COPY:

ATTEST:

Martha A. Whitcher

Town Clerk

Town of Norwell

Voted to RAISE AND APPROPRIATE at the Annual and Adjourned Town Meetings, held March 9 and June 1 and 2, 1981.

ARTICLE 2

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Item	
1	Moderator, Salary 80.00
2	Selectmen, Salaries (3) 2,200.00
3	Expenses 6,640.00
4	Exec. Sec'y/Town Accountant, Salary 22,223.00
5	Out-of-State Travel ———
6	Town Hall Clerks, Salaries 36,916.00
7	Custodian's Salary 5,748.00
8	Expenses 16,315.00
9	Town Counsel, Retainer Fee 4,000.00
10	Extra Legal Expenses 15,000.00
11	Collective Bargaining 1,000.00
12	Settlements/Claims/Debits 1.00
13	Town Meetings and Elections, Salaries 3,000.00
14	Expenses 2,000.00
14A	Stetson Meadows Building, Expenses 300.00
15	Treasurer/Collector, Salary 21,298.00
16	Clerical Assistance 26,719.00
17	Expenses 11,300.00
18	Tax Title Account 5,000.00
19	Bonding Costs ———
20	Assessors, Salaries (3) 4,150.00
21	Clerical Assistance 27,014.00
21A	Appraiser, Salary ———
22	General Expenses 10,100.00
22A	Revaluation Expense 7,300.00
23	Town Clerk, Salary 13,796.45
24	Clerical Assistance 9,699.00
25	Out-of-State Travel ———
26	Expenses 1,600.00
27	Board of Registrars, Salaries (3) ———
28	Clerk of Board, Salary 250.00
29	Clerical Assistance 4,500.00
30	Expenses 4,150.00
31	Board of Appeals, Expenses 1,625.00
32	Clerical Assistance 2,500.00
33	Planning Board, Salaries ———
34	Clerical Assistance 6,108.00
35	Work Supervisor 2,000.00
36	Expenses 4,931.00
37	Design Review Board, Expenses 200.00
38	Clerical Assistance 800.00
39	Development and Indust. Comm., Expenses 1,000.00
40	Clerical Assistance 250.00
41	Permanent Bldg. and Maint. Comm., Expenses 50.00
42	Clerical Assistance 250.00
43	Permanent Site Comm., Clerical Assistance 1.00
44	Expenses 1.00
45	Government Study Committee, Expenses 1.00
46	Clerical Assistance 1.00
47	Capital Budget Committee, Expenses 100.00
48	Conservation Commission, Conservation Fund ———
49	Expenses 1,337.00
50	Clerical Assistance 5,703.00
51	Conservation Agent 2,000.00
52	Council on Aging, Expenses 6,500.00

53	Salaries	10,565.00
54	Personnel Board, Expenses	100.00
55	Clerical Assistance	744.00
56	Mass. Historical Committee, Expenses	1.00
57	Insurance Advisory Comm., Expenses	1.00
58	Route 228 Study Committee, Expenses	1.00
59	Stetson Meadows Recreation Comm., Expenses	500.00
TOTAL—GENERAL GOVERNMENT		\$309,569.45

PUBLIC SAFETY

61	Police Department, Chief's Salary	28,266.00
62	Officers' Salaries/Payrolls	370,000.00
63	Payrolls, Others	19,423.00
64	General Expenses	38,850.00
65	Crime Prevention Unit	—
66	Cruiser Expenses	44,550.00
67	Unleaded Gasoline, Other Dept.	10,000.00
67	Out-of-State Travel	—
69	Animal Control Officer, Fees	7,400.00
70	Mileage	—
71	Expenses	2,500.00
72	Fire Department, Chief's Salary	23,097.00
73	Permanent Firefighters	175,000.00
74	Payrolls	18,690.00
74A	Clerical Assistance	—
75	General Expenses	13,830.00
76	General Equipment	2,748.00
77	Uniform Allowance	1,800.00
78	Out-of-State Travel	—
79	Civil Defense, Expenses	400.00
80	Ambulance Payrolls	29,725.00
81	Ambulance Expenses	5,230.00
82	Unmanned Ambulance Expense	400.00
83	Emergency Comm. Center, Payrolls	49,000.00
84	Expenses	9,300.00
85	Sealer of Weights & Measures, Salary	300.00
86	Expenses	100.00
87	Building Expenses, Salary, Inspector	13,043.00
88	Salary, Alternate Inspector	—
89	Expenses	1,500.00
90	Inspector of Gas, Fees	1,200.00
91	Expenses	465.00
92	Inspector of Wires, Fees	8,400.00
93	Expenses	650.00
94	Plumbing Inspector, Fees	2,700.00
95	Expenses	93.00
96	Tree & Ground Dept., Director's Salary	18,498.00
97	Salaries/Payrolls	36,687.00
98	Stetson Meadows, Salaries	300.00
99	Clerical Assistance	696.00
100	Operation and Maint. of Equip.	8,135.00
101	Insect Pest Control	3,000.00
102	Tree Maintenance	1,800.00
103	Maint. of Public Grounds	4,658.00
TOTAL PUBLIC SAFETY		\$952,434.00

HEALTH AND SANITATION

105	Board of Health, Salaries (3)	350.00
106	Agents' Salaries	4,850.00
107	Clerical Assistance	8,688.00
108	School Nurses' Salaries	—
109	School Hygienist's Salary	—
110	School Physician's Salary	4,164.00
111	Inspector of Animals, Fees	525.00
112	Aid and Expenses	10,985.00
113	Solid Waste Disposal	168,000.00
114	Pine Street Landfill Maint.	2,325.00
115	Mosquito Control, Mosquito Control Expense	—
TOTAL HEALTH AND SANITATION		\$199,887.00

HIGHWAYS

117	Highway Dept., Salary, Highway Surveyor	20,280.00
118	Salaries/Payrolls	63,934.00
119	Clerical Assistance	6,984.00
120	Out-of-State Travel	—
121	Town Account	34,000.00
122	Signs and Road Markings	5,000.00
123	Snow Removal & Sanding	85,000.00
124	Operation & Maint. of Equip	14,600.00
125	Town Gasoline Account	66,750.00
126	Water Services	2,500.00
127	Drainage Supervisor	2,500.00
128	STREET LIGHTS, Street Lights	45,000.00
TOTAL HIGHWAYS		\$346,548.00

VETERANS

131	Veterans' Benefits, Veterans Agent, Salary	1,042.00
132	Service Officer, Salary	1,386.00
133	Veterans' Agent, Expenses	300.00
134	Veterans' Benefits	20,000.00
TOTAL VETERANS' BENEFITS		\$22,728.00

SCHOOLS

135	School Dept., Administration (1000)	128,460.00
136	Instruction (2000)	3,533,068.00
137	Other School Services (3000)	469,024.00
138	Operations (4000)	844,362.00
139	Capital Outlay (7000)	16,410.00
140	Special Class Tuition (9100)	214,991.00
141	Out-of-State Travel	1,000.00
142	Vocational Training	17,950.00
143	Adult Practical Arts	—
TOTAL SCHOOL DEPARTMENT		\$5,225,265.00

SOUTH SHORE REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

145	Assessment	71,078.00
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LIBRARY

146	Norwell Public Library, Director's Salary	16,390.00
147	Salaries	46,160.00
148	Expenses	43,580.00
149	Out-of-State Travel	—
TOTAL LIBRARY		\$106,130.00

RECREATION

151	Recreation Comm., Superintendent's Salary	13,096.00
152	Salaries, Others	17,665.00
153	Expenses	5,633.00
154	Out-of-State Travel	—
TOTAL RECREATION		\$36,394.00

ADVISORY BOARD

156	Advisory Board, Clerical Assistance	1,529.00
157	Expenses	93.00
158	Reserve Fund **See Transfers**	112,000.00
TOTAL ADVISORY BOARD		\$113,622.00

UNCLASSIFIED

159	Unemployment Compensation	125,000.00
160	Group Insurance	155,000.00
161	Plymouth County Retirement Fund	179,040.00
162	Plymouth County Cooperative Ext. Service	100.00
163	Memorial Day Expenses	817.00
164	Pensions and Annuities	6,067.00
165	Town Reports and Budgets	5,000.00
166	Care of Veterans' Graves	1,192.00
167	Town Insurance	159,300.00
TOTAL UNCLASSIFIED		\$631,516.00

WATER DEPARTMENT

170	Commissioners' Salaries	2,100.00
171	Clerical Assistance	20,354.00
172	Superintendents' Salary	—
173	Salaries/Payrolls	47,074.00
174	Water Services	15,440.00
175	Expenses	68,000.00
176	Engineering Expenses	2,500.00
TOTAL WATER DEPARTMENT		\$155,468.00

CEMETERIES

178	Washington Street Cemetery, Salaries	631.00
179	Expenses	4,275.00
TOTAL CEMETERIES		\$4,906.00

INTEREST AND MATURING DEBT

180	Principal	
	1966 Elementary School, Vinal	30,000.00
	1967 Fire Station	10,000.00
	1968 Drainage	10,000.00
	1971 Water	5,000.00
	1972 Golf Course Land	20,000.00
	1972 High School, South Street	
	See Federal Rev. Sharing	470,000.00
	1974 Sparrell School/Renovation/Sewage	110,000.00
	1979 Sanitary Landfill	15,000.00
	1979 Pine Street Fire Station	15,000.00
	1979 Water (Mains/Pumping Station)	20,000.00
	1980 School Roofs	35,000.00
	1980 Water	15,000.00
	1980 Drainage	75,000.00
	1981 Water	20,000.00
	1967 Water	—
	1979 Police Station	—
	1975 Water	—
	1960 Senior High School	—
	1965 Water	—
	New High School Landtaking	—
	1975 Fire Truck	—
TOTAL PRINCIPAL		\$850,000.00

181	Interest	
	Temporary Loans	10,000.00
	1966 Elementary School, Vinal	5,400.00
	1967 Fire Station	220.00
	1968 Drainage	1,100.00
	1971 Water	200.00
	1972 Golf Course Land	880.00
	1972 High School, South Street	29,480.00
	1974 Sparrell School/Renovation/Sewage	17,820.00
	1979 Sanitary Landfill	6,037.50
	1979 Pine Street Fire Station	2,362.50
	1979 Water (Mains/Pumping Station)	7,350.00
	1980 School Roofs	7,830.00
	1980 Water	3,558.00
	1980 Drainage	49,765.00
	1981 Water	6,660.00
	1967 Water	—
	1970 Police Station	—
	1975 Water	—
	1960 Senior High School	—
	1965 Water	—
	New High School Landtaking	—
	1975 Fire Truck	—
	1982 Borrowings	4,500.00
TOTAL INTEREST		\$153,163.00

GRAND TOTAL **ARTICLE 2** **\$9,178,708.45**

ARTICLE 3

1	Treasurer/Collector, 3 Adding Machines	700.00
2	Town Clerk, 1 Typewriter	535.00
3	Police Department, 3 Motor Vehicles	27,000.00
4	Tree/Grounds Department, Chain Saw	700.00
5	Water Department, Well Cleaning	5,000.00
	Meters/Hydrants	6,500.00

TOTAL CAPITAL OUTLAY **\$40,435.00**

Article 9	Water Comm., Well Exploration	60,000.00
Article 12	Board of Health, Mosq. Control Prog.	15,000.00
Article 20	Highway Surveyor, C. 329, Acts of 1980	10,444.00 **
Article 22	Chapter. 570, Acts of 1980	5,776.00 **
Article 25	Drainage Priority #8	25,000.00
Article 27	Resurfacing Town Ways	50,000.00

TOTAL OTHER ARTICLES **\$166,220.00**

TOTAL RAISE & APPROPRIATE—GRAND TOTAL **\$9,385,363.45**

**See transfers from Surplus Revenue.

TRANSFERS

Article 2		
Item 104	transfer from the Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund to Cemetery Care.	5,948.00
Item 158	transfer from the Overlay Reserve to the Reserve Fund.	38,000.00
Article 5	transfer the 1980 County Dog Tax Refund to the School Department General Education Expenses Account.	170.71
		4,499.50
Article 6	transfer from funds paid to the Town by the Commonwealth under the provisions of Chapter 78, Section 19A to the Norwell Public Library for expenses.	
Article 10	transfer from the Washington Street Cemetery Permanent Fund to the Washington Street Cemetery Committee for expansion of the cemetery.	10,000.00
Article 20	transfer from Surplus Revenue to meet the State's share of the cost of Highway Construction under Chapter 329, Acts of 1980.	31,331.00
Article 22	transfer from Surplus Revenue to meet the State's share of Highway Construction under Chapter 570, Acts of 1980.	17,328.00
Article 46	transfer from available funds for the Assessors to use to decrease the tax rate for FY 1982.	758,000.00

TOTAL TRANSFERS **865,277.21**

NORWELL P.L 92-512**FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING ACCOUNT**

Voted, unanimously, that the Town appropriate and transfer the sum of \$200,000.00 from Federal Revenue Sharing Funds to Line 2-180 Interest and Maturing Debt—Principal, to be applied to the reduction of the debt on the 1972 High School, South Street.

TOTAL FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING **\$200,000.00**

AUTHORIZED BORROWING

Article 7 Voted, unanimously, that the Town appropriate \$100,000.00 to be expended under the direction of the Board of Water Commissioners, for the laying and relaying of water mains, of not less than six inches but not more than sixteen inches in diameter, and for pump station rehabilitation and to meet said appropriation to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow the same in accordance with GL.c 44 as amended.

Births

1980 Births Recorded in 1981 in Town of Norwell

Name of Child	Parents' Names
October	
28 Natasha Alexa Kelly	Eileen J. (Lesko) & James P. Kelly
November	
14 Sarah Elizabeth Burwick	Susan A. (Pike) & Robert J. Burwick
December	
17 Katrina Marie Bois	Kathleen M. (McGrath) & Michael W. Bois
18 Douglas Gregory Molla	Susan M. (Carell) & Francis N. Molla
24 Ann Marie Cummings	Patricia A. (Troy) & John A. Cummings
28 Craig Thomas Volpe	Judith A. (Cassese) & Jeffrey M. Volpe
30 Erica Dorothy Lawford	Judith E. (Cmaylo) & Kenneth P. Lawford
30 Christopher Michael Sullivan	Denise M. (Murphy) & Richard E. Sullivan

1981 Births Recorded

January	
3 Patricia Anne McLarey	Kathleen P. (O'Donnell) & Henry W. McLarey
5 Ashley Jill Allen	Margaret A. (Amos) & James W. Allen
15 Christopher Douglas Stoddard	Michelle J. (Caron) & Douglas M. Stoddard
19 Mark Louis Angeloni	Anne L. (Devin) & Louis F. Angeloni
22 Joseph Jacob Shaw	Eileen M. (Jacobs) & Richard M. Shaw
23 Alison Snider Hurt	Linda D. (Snider) & Stephen D. Hurt
24 Liam Burke Andreas	Nancy A. (Burke) & William E. Andreas
24 Joseph Patrick Donaghey	Arlene L. (Thackeray) & James E. Donaghey, Jr.
24 Melanie Rodes	Angela J. (Reale) & Michael J. Rodes
25 Matthew Thomas Scanlon	Elizabeth A. (Ryan) & David W. Scanlon
February	
6 Jennie Eleanor Booth	Elaine A. (Coffey) & Gifford F. Booth
7 Dharma DeMaranville	Maureen E. (Nelson) & Mark DeMaranville
8 William John Lavery, Jr.	Joy M. (Geary) & William J. Lavery
10 Erik Curtis Smith	Tuija M. (Torniainen) & Stephen H. Smith
20 Katia Alexandra Clemmer	Linda G. (Notzelman) & George L. Clemmer, II
20 Sean Barlow Meyer	Susan I. (Barlow) & Richard R. Meyer
25 Christopher Gardner	Pamela A. (MacDonald) & Joseph R. Gardner, Jr.

March	
1 Daniel Paul Youngclaus	Judith A. (Duplex) & Paul J. Youngclaus
2 Eric Ralph Bowman	Marie A. (Pasakarnis) & Ralph E. Bowman
4 David Robert Bernard	Michele L. (Mullen) & Richard F. Bernard
9 Patrick Robert Gaughen	Margaret A. (Corrigan) & Robert H. Gaughen, Jr.

March

11 Alicia Dale Anderson	Patricia M. (Griffin) & Kenneth R. Anderson
11 Kevin Michael Kavanaugh, II	Susan M. (Bambini) & Kevin M. Kavanaugh
12 Christine Marie Connolly	Maureen K. (Dunlea) & Martin G. Connolly
14 Michael Warren Cornell	Joy W. (Colegrove) & Brian L. Cornell
19 Erika Dane MacKenzie	Daryl J. (Smalley) & John R. MacKenzie
20 Michele Catherine Mohan	Patricia A. (Burns) & Philip A. Mohan
20 Robert Andrew Mahoney	Diane M. (Goodhue) & John A. Mahoney
26 LaShawna Marie Ayala	Charlene F. (Endres) & Horacio D. Ayala
26 Douglas Aidan Donahue, III	Susan H. (Hayward) & Douglas A. Donahue, Jr.
27 Stephanie Louise Hughes	Jacqueline (Quinones) & David E. Hughes

April

3 Joanna May Dunbar	Sandra M. (Bordewieck) & Craig S. Dunbar
3 Brian Thomas Schmid	Joan C. (Digney) & David A. Schmid
12 Joshua Michael Peterson	Elizabeth A. (Newsham) & Charles A. Peterson
13 Baby girl Sammartino	Karen E. (Spillane) & Joseph A. Sammartino
16 Amanda Michelle Reardon	Mary A. (Veneto) & Paul F. Reardon
23 Anthony Philip Lococo	Mary C. (Lococo) & Benjamin J. Lococo
25 Liam O'Donovan Toomey	Patricia A. (Hayes) & Richard G. Toomey, Jr.

May

10 Matthew Trey Bruer	Sheila M. (Toomey) & Louis V. M. Bruer
15 Tiffany Lynn Gunderway	Pauline L. (Casey) & Albert H. Gunderway, Jr.
16 Susan Marie Yurof	Kathleen M. (Reiling) & Thomas A. Yurof
17 Kyla Elisabeth Skrine	Karen E. (DeHaven) & Earl C. Skrine, Jr.
31 Brian Michael Savarese	Joan T. (Kabisaitis) & Ralph T. Savarese

June

3 Brianne Sundwall	Diane B. (Stevens) & Kurt B. Sundwall
5 Justin Paul McQuarrie	Debora L. (Falkowski) & Paul F. McQuarrie
23 Matthew Arthur Athanasiou	Lois A. (Norris) & Arthur G. Athanasiou
28 Kimberly Victoria Pinkos	Avis R. (Breyan) & Roger W. Pinkos

July

6 Tierney Kathleen Oslin	Susan M. (Tierney) & Reid P. Oslin
15 David William Spitz	Mary F. (Hamilton) & William J. Spitz
17 Elizabeth Brackin Poindexter	Nancy L. (Helms) & Michael L. Poindexter
23 Daniel Frederick George	Kathryn A. (Cunningham) & Anthony A. George
28 Ryan Benton Landers	Susan I. (Lawson) & Bruce M. Landers
30 Madhu Krishnan	Durgalakshmi (Srinivasan) & Krishnaswamy Krishnan

August

20	Sasha Michael Hnatkovich	Maurcen L. (Kelly) & Michael J. Hnatkovich
21	Teresa Tyler Hunt	Janet L. (Williams) & Timothy J. Hunt
23	Jillian Lorraine Coady	Susan M. (Bottomly) & Gregory J. Coady
25	Jacob Morgan Mehl	Barbara A. (Baggs) & Stephen S. Mehl
26	Lindsey Carol Kasabian	Charleen I. (Brennan) & Robert C. Kasabian
29	Kevin Charles Perry	Cathleen F. (Mahoney) & James M. Perry
31	Daniel Patrick Smith	Lorraine M. (Reardon) & David J. Smith

September

2	David Wallace Usher	Susan E. (Stromberg) & Alfred D. Usher
9	Kerry Walsh Logue	Kathleen J. (Gunning) & James K. Logue
11	Benjamin David Rosen	Denise L. (Smith) & Stewart M. Rosen
16	Lisa-Marie Larsen	Dorothy J. (Lovendale) & Peter A. Larsen
18	Thomas John Geary Farrell	Gail M. (Kotch) & Thomas D. Farrell
22	Daniel John McNamara	Susann J. (LaSala) & James T. McNamara
26	Patrick Robert King	Brenda P. (McHugh) & Robert P. King
28	Theresa Janine Conditto	Michele R. (White) & David L. Conditto
28	Anne Alexis Moody	Jayne A. (Fox) & William E. Moody
30	Jennifer Lucy Kelly	Louise A. (Nicholson) & Paul F. Kelly

October

3	Melissa Boch Marotto	Cheryl (Boudreau) & Robert P. Marotto
7	Lindsay Annette Thomas	Carol J. (Frost) & Edmund G. Thomas
10	Lauren Maire Kelly	Judith A. (Farrell) & Eugene F. Kelly, Jr.
13	Noelle Soule Anderson	Holly (Soule) & Peter Tyler Anderson
19	Joseph William Donahue	Daisy Elaine (Hopkins) & William J. Donahue
21	Jennifer Ann Vaughn	Jean M. (Glancy) & John W. Vaughn
24	Yari Emmel Wolinsky	Barbara W. (Emmel) & Cary S. Wolinsky
30	Christina Karstunen	Maureen P. (Gallagher) & Alan F. Karstunen

November

2	David Richard McCarthy	Nancy E. (Downes) & Charles E. McCarthy, III
5	Kristin Elizabeth Smith	Christine E. (Bianco) & Frank J. Smith
16	Alexander Dearing Gordon	Elizabeth E. (Wunsch) & Ralph D. Gordon
20	Amanda Ruth Freed	Rebecca A. (Zander) & Steven D. Freed

December

5	Brian Paul Kelly	Kathryn L. (Williams) & Paul J. Kelly
6	Krystal Marie Simmons	Lisa M. (Drumgool) & David F. Simmons

11	Sara Michelle Pilalas	Lisa P. (Franco) & John J. Pilalas
14	Ryan James West	Doreen A. (Masson) & Christopher J. West
20	John Diego Porto Warren	Luciana A. (Porto) & James S. Warren
23	Joshua Gabriel Knudsen	Muriel P. (Gabriel) & Frank K. Knudsen
31	Heather Alison Henderson	Donna L. (Dowd) & Michael D. Henderson

Marriages**1981 Marriages Received & Recorded in the Town of Norwell**

Date	Name of Groom	Name of Bride
January		
10	Michael A. Dwyer of Norwell	Francoise Viallefond of Norwell
10	Richard D. Rayner of Sacramento, CA	Deborah A. Jones of Sacramento, CA
24	L. V. Matthew Bruer, III of Norwell	Sheila Marie Toomey of Norwell
February		
7	Harvey A. Borden of South Weymouth	Denise L. Pavlovics of South Weymouth
28	Martin E. Morrill, III of Norwell	Laurie Erickson of Norwell
April		
4	Robert John Chebator of Norwell	Donna Louise Pompeo of Norwell
4	Frank Harold Kimmelman of Pembroke	June Louise Viapiano of Pembroke
5	Michael Alan Ruben of Norwell	Robin Helene Bromley of Norwell
11	James F. Davis of Norwell	Susan Lincoln of Norwell
19	Henry F. Dunton, Jr. of Norwell	Lisa F. Parsons of North Weymouth
May		
16	Gary Lawrence Meade of Seattle, WA	Elizabeth Ann Gordon of Seattle, WA
16	Brian Cusick of Braintree, MA	Annamarie Stewart of Norwell
16	Jerry Richard Griffiths of Norwell	Lida Katherine Merritt of Norwell
30	Kenneth J. Ekstrom of Norwell	Mary Christine Herget of Plympton
31	Stanley W. Davis of Norwell	Brenda J. Philipon of Hingham
June		
6	Peter John Barbadoro of Quincy	Janet E. Delaney of Norwell
6	Herbert H. Talbot of Norwell	Elva J. Whiting of Norwell
13	Richard M. Clark of Norwell	Cynthia B. Hickox of Norwell
13	Brian M. Sullivan of Kingston	Nancy M. Radziusz of Norwell
19	Barry Berman of Weymouth, MA	Maureen L. Burwood of Scituate
20	Douglas Sibbald of Norwell	Pamela Beth Garceau of Norwell
20	Joseph Michael Birolini of Ocean Bluff	Joan T. McVicar of Norwell
20	James E. Fitzgerald of Norwell	Robbin Ambra Greene of Norwell
21	Stephen Edward Sibley of Norwell	Marianne Dorothy Hauser of Norwell

26	James S. Warren of Norwell	Luciana A. Porto of Boston
27	Harry Stafford Williams of Sabillasville, MD	Elizabeth Dorcas Reardon of Sparks-Glencoe, MD

July		
4	Robert E. Clark of Norwell	Cheryl A. Cotter of Norwell
11	Bruce John Marsden of Norwell	Lillian Grace Rounds of Norwell
11	Theodore S. Jarvis, II of Norwell	Marilyn Elizabeth Elia of Norwell
12	Robert Michael Godbout of Norwell	Nancy Louise Palmer of Elbridge, NY
19	David A. Angelick of Scituate	Judith Meadows of Scituate

August		
1	C. J. Francois Lagace of Norwell	Rita C. DiMattio of Norwell
2	James Lawrence Cadigan, Jr. of Hanover	Colleen Winifred Kelliher of Hanover
8	Edward Michael Schmaus of Many Farms, AZ	Lynne Frances Belyea of Norwell
8	Angus Gregory Garber, III of Newton, NJ	Geraldine Ann Rowan of Norwell
8	Richard J. Hickey of Redlands, CA	Valerie Tucky of Redlands, CA
22	Douglas William Maynes of Burlington, VT	Elaine Noreen Steele of Norwell
22	Peter Leary of South Weymouth	K. Irene Perry of Norwell
22	Gordon Lowe English of Hanover	Suzanne Jevne of Norwell
29	Jeffrey E. Gould of Norwell	Mary T. Eddy of Norwell

September		
12	Bryant Joseph Durant of Pembroke	Debra Jeanne Knowles of Norwell
19	John F. Rougeau of Holbrook	Ruth T. Bailey of Norwell
26	William S. Harrold of Norwell	Marguerite A. Marland of Norwell

October		
3	Christopher T. Coughlan of Norwell	Nancy Salk of Norwell
3	Stephen M. Richmond of Dedham	Marybeth Hurley of Braintree
3	Donald F. Tavares of Malden	Anne E. Condon of Norwell
3	Christopher J. West of Norwell	Doreen Ann Masson of Norwell
10	Stephen J. Hosford of Norwell	Brenda Cann of Norwell
17	Stephen James Lanza of Scituate	Eileen Theresa O'Connor of Norwell
17	Steven E. Poirier of Billerica	Lisa Ann Villa of Norwell
30	Anthony J. Thomas of Norwell	Virginia L. Dale of Norwell

November		
1	Frederic H. Frederlein, Jr. of Scituate	Deborah E. Wall of Norwell
28	Paul F. Dooley of Marshfield	Nancy Sewell of Norwell

December		
12	Thomas J. Falkowski of Brookline	Michelle McEwen of Brookline

Deaths

1980 Deaths Recorded in 1981 in Norwell

Date	Name	Age	Residence
August			
31	Stephan J. Call	19 yrs.	Norwell
December			
5	Ethel D. Tolman	87 yrs.	Norwell
16	Joseph P. Dardano	51 yrs.	Norwell
22	Nora F. McCarty aka McCarthy	74 yrs.	Norwell
27	Everett B. Doble	78 yrs.	Norwell

1981 Deaths Recorded

January			
10	Mabelle G. Jarvis	75 yrs.	Norwell
11	Norma G. Berger	84 yrs.	Boston
18	Theresa Hampe	81 yrs.	Norwell
18	Ethel M. Silberg	87 yrs.	Norwell
20	Carl E. Johnson	69 yrs.	Norwell
23	Mary B. Schindler	92 yrs.	Norwell
February			
5	Ruth R. Turner	80 yrs.	Norwell
10	Joseph Mulcahy	65 yrs.	Norwell
11	Elizabeth Abt	82 yrs.	Weymouth
18	Violet M. Brown	83 yrs.	Halifax
19	Madeleine B. Hussey	76 yrs.	Norwell
25	Albert F. Gallant	61 yrs.	Norwell
March			
1	Dora M. Cadieux	72 yrs.	Norwell
2	Marjorie L. Jewell	74 yrs.	Hingham
5	William K. Reardon	38 yrs.	Norwell
11	Christopher Gardner	14 days	Norwell
12	Richard Clayton Hammond	70 yrs.	Norwell
14	Romeo Joseph Chabot	78 yrs.	Norwell
19	Ruth Crowell	84 yrs.	Norwell
19	Lillian Mariano	76 yrs.	Norwell
19	Dorothy Marie Young	58 yrs.	Norwell
20	William D. Jacobs	85 yrs.	Norwell
28	Lillian Agnes Delory	93 yrs.	No. Scituate
30	Ruth Coulter Bierer	89 yrs.	Norwell
30	Abbie E. Costello	90 yrs.	Norwell
April			
6	John W. Dawson	80 yrs.	Norwell
7	Liam Burke Andreas	2 mos.	Norwell
12	Angelina E. Emalowich	74 yrs.	Rockland
14	John A. Scott	72 yrs.	Melrose
16	Alfred B. Karns	36 yrs.	Norwell
22	Catherine V. Paradise	88 yrs.	Norwell
23	Katherine B. MacDonald	85 yrs.	Scituate
27	David P. Supey	32 yrs.	Norwell
28	Katharine Collier	82 yrs.	New York
28	Margaret Ann Gardner	90 yrs.	Scituate
30	Dorothy Elizabeth Maigret	63 yrs.	Norton
May			
5	Ambrose F. Keeley, Jr.	42 yrs.	Norwell
7	George Baker Marshall	54 yrs.	Norwell
10	Harold Thomas Flavell	84 yrs.	Norwell
22	William Francis Peterson, Sr.	83 yrs.	Norwell
June			
3	John P. McGonagle	81 yrs.	Pembroke
4	Gladys Elcanor Cottle	86 yrs.	Norwell
4	Eileen L. Dwelley	69 yrs.	Norwell
9	Josephine Gullivan Thayer	89 yrs.	Rockland
16	Robie F. Leslie	73 yrs.	Norwell

June			
18	Leo H. Amet	60 yrs.	Norwell
21	Thomas F. E. Furze	70 yrs.	Norwell
29	Wilhelmina Hesselschwerdt	98 yrs.	Scituate
July			
6	Gertrude D. Graffam	86 yrs.	Pembroke
17	Catherine L. Bailey	75 yrs.	Norwell
20	Kathleen Eleanor Farren	82 yrs.	Norwell
August			
3	Loretto C. Mulcahy	91 yrs.	Brookline
5	Anne Minasian	56 yrs.	Norwell
6	Clara Blanche Soule	93 yrs.	Norwell
8	Hannah B. Price	87 yrs.	Brookline
10	John E. Ashton	60 yrs.	Norwell
13	Richard E. Carreau	48 yrs.	No. Dartmouth
16	Timothy Charles Larkin	18 yrs.	Norwell
25	Catherine Frances Reid	75 yrs.	Norwell
September			
14	Thomas F. Winkler, Jr.	77 yrs.	Norwell
17	Gladys Roberts	89 yrs.	No. Scituate
21	Alice Mary Cochran	91 yrs.	Norwell
October			
19	Alice G. Foley	79 yrs.	Brighton
24	Ralph C. Melanson	60 yrs.	Norwell
30	William E. Nute, Sr.	89 yrs.	Hanover
31	Helen A. Masterson	83 yrs.	Norwell
31	George C. Whiting	87 yrs.	Norwell
November			
5	Robert J. Albert	65 yrs.	Norwell
7	Ivah E. Cooper	86 yrs.	Norwell
10	Borghild E. Olsen	91 yrs.	Scituate

11	Florence V. Richards	56 yrs.	Norwell
13	Geneva A. Wadsworth	91 yrs.	Norwell
20	Frances C. Reagan	89 yrs.	Norwell
28	Anna M. (Howe) Day	89 yrs.	Scituate
December			
3	Owen H. Hood	69 yrs.	Norwell
3	Gaspar J. Rosati	34 yrs.	Norwell
3	Oscar T. McManus	86 yrs.	Rockland
9	Martha Fuller	65 yrs.	Norwell
10	Mary Ellen Fleming	72 yrs.	No. Scituate
16	Greta G. Brooks	78 yrs.	Norwell
19	Barbara McKay	61 yrs.	Norwell
22	Leo F. Magner	86 yrs.	Boston
31	Isaac M. Pineo, Jr.	50 yrs.	Norwell

Jurors Drawn — 1981

Brockton Court (February), February 5, 1981

Ralph Gordon, 259 Prospect Street
Laurien N. Houde, 51 Duncan Drive
James H. Walsh, 148 Riverside Drive

Brockton Court (March), February 5, 1981

Allan Borzomato, 5 Simon Hill Road
Joan R. Wales, 260 Mt. Blue Street
Jean L. Perry, 80 High Street

Grand Jury (April), May 11, 1981

Stavros Cosmopoulos, 8 Bridge Street

Brockton Criminal/Civil Court, May 11, 1981

Maria Tolman, 375 River Street
Eleanor Welch, 19 Central Street
Lloyd Reid, 33 Norwell Avenue

Brockton Superior Court (May), May 11, 1981

Rita Gavin, 676 Grove Street
Edward L. Sibley, 140 River Street
Robert H. Ford, 15 Coolidge Road

Brockton Superior Criminal/Civil Court (June), June 15, 1981

Richard D. Duane, Jr., 48 Knollwood Road
James B. Sifnas, 29 Prospect Street
Damon L. Howard, 309 Cross Street

Drawn on May 10, 1981, recorded June 29, 1981

Joseph L. Dougan, 204 Cross Street
James Blaney, 75 Lincoln Street
Paul F. Reardon, 19 Jay Road
Mary L. Kemp, 41 Brigantine Circle
Albert R. Ewart, 759 Grove Street

Drawn on July 10, 1981, recorded July 13, 1981

C. Phillip Lawrence, 118 Hemlock Drive
Joseph D. Richards, 455 Mt. Blue Street
Ronald P. Dolan, 83 Trout Brook Lane

Brockton Superior Court, Traverse Jurors, August 28, 1981

Daniel Stewart, 325 Summer Street
William D. Gunderway, 232 Circuit Street
Paul R. Riley, 37 Hall Drive
Perkles G. Kapssambelis, 278 River Street

Brockton Court, October 7, 1981

Frederick D. Hales, 78 Wildcat Lane
Daryl J. MacKenzie, 1 Brantwood Road
Paul Nelson, 59 Coolidge Road
Douglas M. Sibbald, 899 Main Street

Traverse Jurors: January 4, 1982, December 8, 1981

Walter W. Morrison, 508 River Street
Caryle R. Gaudette, 182 Central Street
Kathleen Reeves-Doyle, 917 Main Street

Superior Court: January 11, 1982

Lorraine M. Manning, 22 Jacobs Trail



Church Hill Methodist Church

Education & Library

School Committee

This has not been an easy year for the schools. After so many years of responding to the community's call for quality education, higher levels of performance and the demands of an increasingly complex society, we were facing substantial cuts in funding and a variety of conflicting promises of state aid. We resolved, as a matter of policy, to reduce programs and services rather than eliminate them. With some unavoidable exceptions we are still trying to maintain that position.

Due to the difficulty of getting any clear signals from the state level, many months went by before we knew how much money would be available to run the schools. In addition, we were in the process of negotiating new contracts, including the teachers' contract which would have a considerable impact on our future plans.

Understandably, this was a period of great anxiety for teachers and students as well as the administration and the School Committee. It was obvious that the Osborn School would have to close two years early, which would mean overcrowding at the fifth and sixth grade level. It also became apparent, as the state aid figures were resolved, that in addition to the reductions of staff, brought about by the Osborn closing, there would have to be further cuts in staff and administrators. Some promising new programs, some cherished older ones, and not a little flexibility and responsiveness went with them. Throughout the summer the pressure continued as further adjustments had to be made. Preservation, not progress, became our goal.

In spite of this difficult beginning, schools opened in September with a minimum of confusion and every sign of normal good spirits. The School Committee owes a special vote of thanks to the dedicated teachers, administrators, and all the supporting school personnel who, despite their personal concerns, have come through in such a professional and caring way to see that the children did not bear more of the burden than was necessary in this most difficult of years. These people are the heart of the school system and we are fortunate to have them.

Education is alive and well in Norwell. It is not better than ever, nor, in many ways, is it as good, but it is still alive.

We are grateful for the boosters' clubs, the volunteers, and the many well-wishers who have expressed concern. With your help we will reset our goals and continue to move forward.

Superintendent of Schools to the School Committee

This year, in the interest of space, we have been asked to be brief. It would not be possible to properly describe all of the feelings, both positive and negative, which have resulted from this most unusual year and still meet the requirement of brevity. Therefore, I will leave that complex subject for another forum.

The 1981-1982 school year enrollment reflects the continuing decline, particularly in the lower grades. The Osborn School was closed to students at the end of the 1980-1981 school year. This was scheduled for September 1983 but was advanced due to budget restrictions.

The 1981-1982 enrollment is as follows:

Cole Elementary School	402
Vinal Elementary School	348
Sparrell Elementary School	343
Junior High School	398
Senior High School	<u>722</u>
Total	2,213

This was obviously a time when finances dominated our thinking. Proposition 2½ was passed overwhelmingly by the citizens of the Commonwealth and in Norwell by almost the same percentage. Our task has been to implement this law with responsibility and professionalism, providing the best program possible within the limits of our resources. This we have attempted to do.

There has been a reduction of 23 + % in our professional staff. This is partly offset by declines in enrollment, but there has been a reduction in services throughout the system. The long term effects are difficult to measure but faith in our staff and our students allows me to remain optimistic.

This year, as in the past, the young people of Norwell have brought distinction to themselves, their schools, and their community. In activities, from athletics to dramatics, and in demonstrating academic excellence, we can be proud of their accomplishments.

It is during periods of difficulty that families come together in support. I would like to thank the School Committee, a most dedicated and understanding staff, an inspiring student body, and numerous citizens for their encouragement and steady support during this anxious time.

South Shore Vocational Technical High School

1981 saw three important changes take place at the vocational school. The first was the implementation of Proposition 2½. This was accomplished without the loss of any vocational program. Although severe cuts were made in athletics and capital equipment.

The second was the hiring of a new Superintendent/Director, Dr. Clifford Easton, who replaced Mr. Fred Teed who retired after more than twenty years at Vo Tech.

Third, the acceptance of out of district students to help support the need for vocationally trained students for industry.

There were eight Norwell graduates in the Class of 1981 which was 12% of the class. Enrollment for the school at present is 341 in-district students, 33 out-of-district students for a total of 374.

Norwell Public Library

In 1981 your public library checked out 72,920 books and 5,610 periodicals, answered 3,396 reference questions, obtained 623 interlibrary loans, and sent out 3,952 overdue notices. The Library sponsored two pre-school story hour series, a summer reading club, special family story hours, and Friday films for children. The community room was used 137 times for a total of 219 hours. The museum passes (bought with a gift from the Norwell Women's Club) were used 49 times. 2,946 new books were added.

1981's 15% budget cut resulted in a decision to cut staff time and library hours while keeping the book budget at the

1980 level. Inflation hit the publishing industry harder than the economy in general, so even level funding of the book budget was an actual 20% decrease in buying power. It will be much easier to restore staff hours and hours of service than to fill the lacks in the book collection which would result from even a short period of neglect of a well planned book selection program.

After some adjustments, we have a reduced schedule which seems to cause the least inconvenience to patrons while allowing maximum savings on gas and electricity. Utility bills and repair costs in 1982 will determine whether we can prevent further erosion of the book budget. The Library is now open 44 hours a week as opposed to 61 hours last winter. Curtailed hours mean heavier use during the time we are open. "House-keeping" has suffered, and this will affect the quality of service over a period of time. Our goal is to restore these hours over the next years, but this cannot happen until staff time is restored. (No library in this area offering services comparable to those expected by Norwellians, has a lower ratio of staff hours to hours of library service.)

The Trustees thank staff and Director for their response to a difficult situation. We will continue to do our best to provide the best library service for the money available, and we welcome your suggestions. (The Board meets the 3rd Tuesday each month at the Library at 7:30 p.m.) Thanks also to the individuals and groups who have generously given books, money or time to the Library—may your numbers increase.

Norwell Arts Council

The Norwell Council for the Arts accepted proposals from four applications pending disbursement of funds from the Massachusetts Arts Lottery Council. We received notification from the Chairman that there would be a general reorganization and relegislation before any monies would be returned to the Town. A notice was received September 1, "Arts Lottery has survived legislation and garnered a profit, the exact amount to be announced in January 1982."

The Norwell Council for the Arts has been holding irregular meetings during 1981 to discuss several issues; disbursement of funds if and when they arrive from the State, interviewing and receiving applications from qualified applicants in several media, whether this arts council can exist or be of community benefit without the tenuousness of State funding and overview support.

We feel the Norwell Council for the Arts can be a viable group to aid or advise Norwell arts projects with advice and counsel, if not State funding, and perhaps garner support from the Town itself.

Our meetings are open to the public.



No longer used as a school, the old Osborne School awaits the decision on its future.

Trustees for Plymouth County Cooperative Extension Service

by Edgar W. Spear, *Director*

The Plymouth County Cooperative Extension Service's Office is located on High St., Hanson, and can be reached by calling 293-3541, 447-5946 or 746-0053.

STAFF:

Our staff is comprised of a Director, two Regional Agricultural Specialists, a Community Resource Development specialist, two Home Economists, four 4-H Agents and four clerical staff.

In addition to our County Staff, we administer a Nutritional Educational Program for limited-income families in Plymouth County, (Expanded Food & Nutrition Educational Program). We have two professional nutritionists and ten aides. This office is located at 32 Belmont St., Brockton, and is funded by Federal Nutrition Funds, through the University of Massachusetts, our Land-Grant College. This is for both a 4-H and Adult Program.

Our Expanded Food and Nutrition Program (EFNEP) has expanded from Brockton to all of Plymouth County's twenty-six towns.

In 1980-81, there were 4,722 youth involved in our 4-H EFNEP Nutrition Program. You can obtain information about current programs, as well as up-to-date consumer information, by requesting the free monthly newsletter, *Kitchen Quotes*. This newsletter can be sent to you by calling the Brockton Office at 583-2545 or 583-2598. This newsletter is also prepared in Spanish.

In our traditional 4-H Program, we have 1,313 members with 22,041 other youth participating in our short-term and school programs. The 1977 population of Plymouth County schools was 96,287. This means 2,412 of the Plymouth County youth have been involved in our programs this year.

Free bulletins are on display at our office on lawn care, gardening, nutrition, home canning and freezing, to name just a few. If you pass our office in your travels, please stop and get to know us. We continue to test soil, free of charge, for Plymouth County residents. Our Home Economist will also check your pressure cooker gauge.

Public Safety

Police Department

This past year Proposition 2½ mandated deep cuts in the budget, and through the cooperation of the officers, the Police Department has delivered a service to the residents of the Town commensurate to that of the past. During this period of tight fiscal restraints, we are learning the true meaning of efficiency; our manpower is at the lowest it has been in ten years. Also, we are finding that there are some places where cutting the budget is not feasible. Our goals for the next year will be to continue to protect and serve the citizens of Norwell, recognize our obligation to the increasing business community and to apprehend those who commit crime through proven changes in delivering police service and non-related duties. We wish to also establish closer ties to the citizen and business groups, to more closely tie their needs to ours. Your input and continued support are very much needed and appreciated.

Listed below are some of the statistics for the year.

"Report Crime"

ARRESTS AND OFFENSES

Non-Support	3
Violation of Probation—Warrants, Capias	203
Disorderly Conduct	11
Annoying Phone Calls	7
Trespassing Complaints	41
Malicious Injury of Property	127
Littering	19
Runaway and Missing Person	12
Liquor Law Violations	1
Operating M.V. Under the Influence of Alcohol	61
Endangering Public Safety	30
Motor Vehicle Violations (Non-Arrestable)	1,389
Motor Vehicle Violations (Arrestable)	241
Complaints Received and Investigated	3,016
Vacant Houses Checked	481
Buildings Found Open	46
Protective Alarms Investigated	385
Miles Traveled by Police	179,400
Robbery	5
Assaults (Felony)	21
Assaults (Misdemeanor)	13
Breaking and Entering	108
Possession of Burglariou Tools	0
Larceny	247
Bad Checks	27
Using Motor Vehicle Without Authority	3
Arson	0
Forgery and Uttering	0
Receiving Stolen Property	0
Breaking and Entering Motor Vehicles	46
Fraud	11
Family Abuse—Restraining Orders	7
Warrants Outstanding	203
Court Cases Scheduled	401
Firearm Violations	0
Sex Offenses	4
Violation of Drug Laws	10
Assists to Other Police Departments	27
Medical Assists	34
Motor Vehicle Violations Sent to Registry	1,630
Parking Tickets Issued	710
Psychiatric Commitments	12
Motor Vehicle Accidents (Non-Fatal)	267
Motor Vehicle Accidents (Fatal)	1
Moped Accident	1
Recovered Property	\$46,800
Stolen Property	\$187,000

Fire Department

Towards the end of the year, the Pine Street Fire Station was turned over to the Fire Department by the PBMC. There are still some small items on the punch list which must be taken care of, but we are able to operate out of the station. I wish to thank the South Shore Vo-Tech instructors and students who did most of the work on the station. Unless you knew that the work had been done by students, you would think it was done by professional carpenter, electricians, etc. as the calibre of the work is so outstanding.

Many thanks to the Norwell Chamber of Commerce who presented the Department with a "Survival Suit" which is used for water rescue. We have already had the occasion to use the suit in an animal rescue.

This past year we issued 2,689 Fire Permits during the "Open Burning" season. This occurs each year between the dates of January 15th through May 1st as prescribed by the Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 111, Sections 142B and D. Permits must be made through the Communications Center.

Starting January 1, 1982, a new law will go into effect regarding smoke detectors. The law reads as follows under Chapter 148, Section 26F:

RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS or STRUCTURES: EQUIPPING WITH SMOKE DETECTORS UPON SALE OR TRANSFER

All buildings or structures occupied in whole or in part for residential purposes and not regulated by sections 25A, 26B or 26C shall, upon the sale or transfer of such building or structure, be equipped by the seller with approved smoke detectors as provided in section 26E. The head of the Fire Department shall enforce the provisions of this section.

Information can be obtained at the Office of the Fire Chief between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. weekdays.

Following is the breakdown of calls this year:

Accident	153	Lost Person	1
Ambulance	334	Miscellaneous	34
Animal Rescue	9	Mutual Aid	50
House-Building	96	Non-Permit	9
Car Fires	38	Wash Downs	5
Chimney Fires	26	Water Problems	41
Inspections	427	Wires	28
Investigations	85	Woods Fires	72
Lockouts	18	Person Rescue	1

To the permanent and call firefighters and the citizens of Norwell, my thanks for their outstanding, support and dedication.

Animal Control Officer

Activities for 1981

Dogs reported missing to the office from Norwell and surrounding towns	503
Dogs impounded	98
Animals killed on highway	240
Dogs returned to owners	72
Miscellaneous calls	560

To the public, anyone who has lost a pet; please call dog officer or LOST PET, their number is 617-329-4428. This is a 24-hour service which goes to all dog officers in the state.

Please be informed there is a new State Law to change Chapter 140. It is before the legislature. The present law is very outdated. The Plymouth County Dog Officers and myself have worked on this new law for many months with the help of the County Commissioners Office.

PLEASE SUPPORT THIS LAW.

Emergency Communications Center

The communications center dispatchers continue to do an outstanding job of handling not only emergency calls but other information calls whenever called upon by the townspeople. Although no specialized qualifications, except on the job training, are required, it takes a very special person to be a dispatcher. The person must be able to conduct themselves in a quiet, efficient manner in any type of emergency. They must be able to elicit necessary information from an excited caller, who at the time of the call is only thinking of the emergency they have and getting vehicles to the scene. Many times they try to hang up without giving the name and address. This is when the dispatcher, with their air of confidence and quiet manner, must get their name and address before they hang up.

This year the center handled 46,211 calls broken down as follows:

Police.....	10,912
Fire.....	24,832
Misc.	7,678
Town Network	2,789

If there are any new residents who have moved into town and have not notified the center, we would appreciate them calling 659-2211 and giving their name and address. Many times when people are excited they are apt to give the wrong address and if we have the name of the person, we can look it up in our residence book that we keep at the center.

Also for those residents who are still giving lot numbers, and who still have them on their houses, instead of the house number assigned to them, wouldn't it be a shame if a tragedy occurred because you gave the wrong number and the am-

bulance or emergency vehicle responded to the wrong address?

Again we must say thanks to all the dispatchers who do such a fine job.

Civil Defense

In 1981 the EMT's who cover the ambulance service from 6:00 P.M. to 6:00 A.M. answered a total of 256 calls, 195 medical emergencies and 61 fire calls.

To keep their education current, numerous classes were held with local doctors as instructors on Sunday evenings at the Central Fire Station. A D.O.T. refresher course, which consists of at least 20 mandatory hours of instruction, was given by Chief Howard Blanchard of Duxbury to 31 EMT's. Several CPR courses have been given throughout the year as recertification must be every year unlike EMT recertification which is every two years. Many thanks to the following who serve on the ambulance: Mark Aigen, Dick Anstead, Dick Caldwell, Bob Costa, Steve Flaherty, Jenny Frehill, Ray Henderson, Rick Kelly, Harold Madan, Bob Magrone, Beth Marcella, Pete Melanson, Mike Piccuito, Don Robbins, Terry Rude, Manny Schembari and Bill Sparks.

As in past years the Auxiliary Police have been called upon to serve on Memorial Day and any other time when necessary. I would like to say that these men who are often forgotten have been very faithful. Many thanks.

To Chief Merritt, who has worked as my Deputy Civil Defense Director and has helped me immensely, many thanks for all your help.



Links with the past—this former schoolhouse has been converted to an attractive family home.

Public Works

Highway Surveyor

To the Citizens of Norwell:

I hereby submit my Annual Report of the Highway Departments activities for the calendar year 1981.

The winter turned out to be another mild one with approximately twenty-five inches of snow and a lot of ice problems due to long periods of freezing weather. However, due to the mildness of the winter we were able to start our various road programs earlier than normal. These programs consisted of cleaning sand off the roads from the winter's accumulation, patching potholes, crack filling, infra-red patching, overlaying with Type I and doing all the usual cleanup work involved after paving which includes: berms, driveway aprons and filling in behind the roadway edges with gravel. The following list of roads received overlays of Type I and the above procedures:

- 1) Chittenden Lane 268.25 tons
Levelling course and top on the entrance plus cape cod berm.
- 2) Forest Avenue 440 feet 294.40 tons
- 3) Forest Street 5750 feet 2001.89 tons
Top and 1" levelling course of binder.
- 4) Grove Street 410 feet 230.55 tons
And the entrance to Franklin Road, overlaying the drainage work in an easterly direction to the approximate location where the roadway will be cut, at some future date, to improve the site distance when funds become available.
- 5) Main Street had extensive crack-filling and infra-red work done from the Hanover-Scituate town lines and this was done with State Aid money.
- 6) Pleasant Street 3740 feet 848.80 tons
And 150 feet of the entrance to Wildcat Lane, because due to the high traffic load, it has an inability to hold the gravel in place.
- 7) River Street 9020 feet 3055.83 tons
Green Street to Norwell Centre received levelling top and berm.

Wildcat Lane received extensive gravelling and scraping work during the year, and seems to be requiring more and more maintenance. In fact, it seems lately to be a losing battle because of the lack of funds for this road. At some future date, when this portion comes up for sub-division, it will present quite a problem to the town to update the roadway.

Due to Proposition 2½, we will once again be asking for a larger amount for resurfacing roads. The State has again cut back on aid to the towns and in order to maintain and keep on top of our established roadway maintenance program more funds will be needed.

Other seasonal projects done in the Spring were street sweeping, catch basin cleaning, guard rail work, roadside mowing, litter pickup and repairing and replacing signs.

In the past few years the State Pavement Marking Program has benefited Norwell greatly, in 1980, 25.3 miles of roadway received street line painting of either fog, edge or centerline, and due to Proposition 2½ this year we only had 1.05 miles painted very late in the Fall, and in 1982 there will be no more roads painted. The street painting program has been abolished along with the engineering services to establish lines and grades. Also there is no more overtime being paid to the engineers which causes problems in coordinating all the forces working together on the paving work. We ended up having to pay for 339,034 linear feet of lines, 2141 square feet of 12" crosswalks, 9—8" school signs and 37—3' stops.

In the high accident areas of town like the curves, we placed large crowfoot type reflector signs. We have also

started procedures to correct several of these areas by obtaining layouts and easements to straighten the curves on Circuit Street near Donovans and Mt. Blue Street above School Street.

During 1981, the second phase of the Norwell Homes drainage project was placed out to bid and once again the town was very fortunate awarding the bid to Main Line Construction Co. of Walpole at a cost considerably lower than anticipated for this lower phase. This company is very reputable and conscientious and did a spectacular job, all considered, on Shady Lane, Gerard Road, Franklin Road, Jay Road, Dana Road, Nancy Lane and the land easement owned by the Conservation Commission and a private landowner, in the pit section at the end of Franklin Road. Work progressed as usual until problems arose over the drainage easement on the conservation land which resulted in all kinds of hearings, and finally having to go to Governor King for a special emergency house bill #7191. If we had failed to obtain this house bill, the town would have had to hold a special town meeting and get ⅔ vote approval and also from the State House and Senate.

All during the period of working out the "red tape" the contractor kept busy installing pipes, structures, wood clearing, cleaning up and laying the first course of Type I on the trenches and street crossings on literally a day-to-day basis into the Fall. It was December when we were finally able to proceed onto the conservation land and install the 42" outfall pipe and structure which completed and tied in the entire drainage system. Due to winter weather we will have to finish cleanup work and the 600' channelization on the conservation land in the Spring of 1982.

Due to a dry summer and the water ban, puddling of the trenches was not done. There were some cuts in excess of twenty feet which will probably result in some settling problems. Hopefully, we can resurface the entire Norwell Homes site next year, including berms, aprons and adjusting structures, with the money left in the two accounts. This should take care of the entire area for the next twenty years.

During 1981, we also started work on the drainage project at the intersection of Central Street, Norwell Avenue and Old Oaken Bucket Road with the bid, once again, going to a very responsible firm who did the first portion of Norwell Homes—Geneva Construction Company of Roslindale and once again at a considerably lower cost. This firm has also been awarded the contract to install the culverts BP-6 near the Henry Norwell residence and BP-8 near the old King Philip Farm under the high tension lines on Norwell Avenue. After more problems, lengthy hearings and "red tape" the pipes were installed in the intersection portion and BP-6 was installed in November at which time the project was held up by the Board of Health. Pollution was discovered in the uphill side of the brook and a "cease and desist" order was filed which resulted in the Highway Department and contractor having to sand bag and block up the entrance to the pipe running under the street. When good weather returns this project will be completed along with BP-8.

I'd like to point out the need for additional funding for equipment within this department due to high escalation costs. Old equipment and the lack of concern by the various boards and committees for capital expenditures in the last few years, has placed us behind the eight-ball! Presently our AC rubber tire loader, purchased ten years ago at a price of \$25,400 is in dire need of repairs. We will need a new loader next year or we will be nickel and dimed to death! New loaders now run \$125,000 and are escalating. Also, several of our trucks are over ten years old and will need replacement. We are requesting one four-wheel drive pickup be replaced this year.

The following is a list of the materials used within the Highway Department from January 1—December 31, 1981:

Bricks.....	4,000
Catch Basin Grates & Frames	6
Cement (Bags)	120
Cement Catch Basin Blocks	1,024
Cement Guard Rail Posts	142
Cement Ramp Blocks	8
Cement Squares of 8 (Sets)	71
Cold Patch (Tons)	57
Concrete (Cubic Yards)	23
Crack Filling (Gallons)	1,397.50
Chain Link Fence (Feet)	75
Gasoline (Gallons)	27,728
Gravel (Yards)	56
Gravel (Processed Tons)	292.95
Infra-red Patching (Square Feet)	11,121.3
Petroleum Resin (Square Feet)	1,235.7
Salt (Tons)	1,487.43
Calcium Chloride (Bags)	15
Sand (Yards)	1,200
Stone Tailings (Yards)	25
Stone (Processed ¾ " Tons)	78.15
Steel Snowplow Blades	46
Steel Guard Rail Fence (Feet)	150
Steel Instructional Road Signs	28
Steel Pipe (Feet)	269
Steel Sign Blanks	132
Street Sign Sheetting (Yards)	50

With the implementation of Proposition 2½, the two men we lost due to retirements in 1980 were not replaced which left us with five men to do all the work. Unfortunately, one of our faithful employees, Joseph P. Perry, was injured while on duty and had to be placed on Workmens' Compensation which really placed us in a bind. What with all the sick, vacation, holidays and union bargaining days a lot of work went undone. Hopefully in 1982 when the Workmens' claim is settled the crystal ball will be less cloudy! Thank you for your understanding in the past year with all the cutbacks in maintenance.

I want to thank the men at the Middleboro Department of Public Works office (which rumor has might be moved or phased out, hopefully this will not come forth) for the tremendous amount of help answering questions and responding to various problems that have arisen during the year. Also the many town officials and committees I have worked with in this trying year to best serve the townspeople of Norwell quickly and in their best interest always bearing in mind the financial restraints.

In closing, I just want to thank the many Senators, Representatives and one William Stewart of the Government Regulation Committee and the Governor himself for helping the Town of Norwell obtain the emergency funding needed to complete the Norwell Homes drainage project. If you could have seen all the trials and tribulations overcome by so many in such a short period of time to expedite the State funding needed for the Grove Street site distance and Norwell Homes clearance. I could never thank enough people for all the favors done for the Town of Norwell.

Respectfully submitted,
E. Arnold Joseph
Highway Surveyor
Drainage Supervisor

Department of Lands and Natural Resources

To the Citizens of the Town of Norwell:

The year 1981 presented the usual problems for our shade trees, plus the most severe infestation of the gypsy moth that this area and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts has ever experienced. A roadside spraying program was done to protect our shade trees from this leaf-eating pest. The program was more successful in some areas than others, because of the difficulty in treating trees at the proper time when so many trees require spraying.

There are indications that the populations of the gypsy moth have declined in some areas of town, which means that damage caused by this insect will not be as severe in these locations, but we can predict that this insect will cause major damage to our shade and forest trees during the spring of 1982.

The early December snowstorm damaged many young trees, and pruning and clean up has been, and will continue to be, a substantial job. Tree planting programs were reduced this year because of maintenance and removal priorities and reduced resources; however, an effort will be made to continue a modest shade tree planting program.

During the year, 49 shade trees were removed from our roadsides, the Dutch Elm disease and the environmental conditions which roadside trees are required to grow in, being the primary cause of tree mortality. The gypsy moth may cause some tree mortality in softwood and hardwood trees which are not sprayed and growing under severe stress.

Overuse of our athletic fields continues to be a maintenance problem, and as long as this overuse continues, our play fields will not be the quality which we would all like to have.

In closing, I would like to thank my fellow workers and the citizens of Norwell for their cooperation and assistance. I especially would like to thank all of the people of Norwell who have shown great understanding of the gypsy moth problem with which Norwell has been subjected.

Board of Water Commissioners

Increased rainfall in the late months of 1981 provided significant increases in ground water levels, which had been abnormally low due to a full year of scant precipitation.

Major emphasis has been placed on exploration for potential well sites. Areas studied in 1981 include Prospect Street near Jacobs Lane, Stetson Meadows, Valley Swamp off Grove Street, west of Burnt Plain Swamp off Bowker Street, Turner's Pond area behind the Vinal School, and Old Pond Meadows, east of existing South Street pumping stations. Of these, all but Turner's Pond and Grove Street sites proved unusable due to either insufficient yield or high iron content. Tests will continue in 1982.

Plans were finalized for the Town's ninth well, east of Burnt Plain Swamp—Bowker Street. This will be on stream in 1982.

Norwell has been blessed with sufficient water to serve its needs to date, but the good fortunes of successful test well exploration together with controlled growth of the Town are essential for the future.

Norwell's water system served 2,490 residences, businesses, and municipal buildings in 1981, an increase of 56 over the previous year. We pumped 323,864,000 gallons of water compared to 324,186,100 gallons in 1980.

Health & Human Services

Board of Health

Twenty-seven regular scheduled and two special meetings were held in 1981.

Thirty-two permits were issued for new septic systems. Twenty-five permits were issued for repair of existing septic systems.

The annual rabies clinic was held in April, 1981.

A total of \$7,170.00 in fees was turned in to the Town Treasurer for fiscal year 1981.

The Town is now in the sixth year of curb-side pickup and the Board is in the process of negotiating a one year extension of the contract.

201 Facilities Plan application for Federal and State funding has been completed and approved. The 201 Facilities Study was awarded to Linenthal Eisenberg Anderson, Consulting Engineers, Boston. Completion of the study is anticipated in mid 1982.

Norwell is now a member of the Plymouth County Mosquito Control Project. It was voted at the annual Town Meeting in 1981, to raise and appropriate \$15,000.00 to be expended by the Board of Health for a mosquito control program.

Our Health Agent, Mr. Loring L. "Spike" Wadsworth, retired on December 31, 1981. The Board members wish to express their appreciation to him for his many years as Health Agent, Board Chairman and Member and wish him a happy retirement.

Mr. Lester B. Hiltz was hired as part-time Health Agent on December 31, 1981.

Plymouth County Mosquito Control Project

The Superintendent and Commissioners of the Plymouth County Mosquito Control Project welcome the Town of Norwell as a new member and is pleased to submit the following report for the period July 1 to December 31, 1981.

The Plymouth County Mosquito Control Project was founded in 1957 to combat mosquitoes as nuisances and as disease carriers and continues to carry out various types of work to that end in 22 municipalities including Hingham, Duxbury, Norwell, Scituate, and Hull as of July 1, 1981. The project is directed by five appointed commissioners and a superintendent.

This project operates somewhat differently than the former South Shore Mosquito Control (of which your town was a member). The Plymouth County Project aims toward overall reduction of mosquito populations over a broad area as possible to benefit as many citizens as possible. This project does not spray individual private properties by request, rather we use all information at our disposal to determine where our area treatments are most needed. In this way, a total of 5,472 acres were treated with ultra-low volume sprayers in Norwell last summer (after July 1). In addition, 350 storm sewer catch basins were treated with a safe insect growth regulator to prevent breeding. As we become fully established in the Town of Norwell, more safe and effective larvacides will be used to diminish the need for adulticide spraying. In addition, work directed at the management of mosquito breeding water will be initiated during 1982 to reduce the need for all types of insecticides.

In addition to changes in territory during the last year, this Project is undergoing a complete revision and modernization of methods, equipment, facilities, and personnel. When complete, this revision will greatly increase our ability to control mosquitoes safely with little or no increase in cost per capita which averages less than one dollar per year.

We are proud of our achievements during 1981 and wish to thank each town and their personnel for their interest and cooperation.

Norwell Recreation Commission

The year 1981 was one of changes. Mr. Ronald Ritchie, director for four years, left in March to pursue a career in the private sector. Ms. Sara Bunnell did a wonderful job during the summer months as interim director. And in September 1981, we were fortunate to have Ms. Dale Connor begin her position as full-time director.

The Commission itself experienced several membership changes. Chairperson Sara St. Ours resigned after seven years of service; Mrs. Patricia Morrill left after more than two years; Mrs. Judith Enright resigned after a year and a half; and Mr. Paul McCarthy left after more than three years. We would like to thank them for their valuable assistance, support, time and energy. We welcomed four new members—Joanne Davis, James P. Kelly, Dan T. Stearns and Paul H. Crowley, who all bring interest, expertise and support to providing leisure services to the Town of Norwell. The Recreation Commission has received continued support from Chairperson Peter Kates and Vice Chairperson Joanne Davis.

Interestingly, considering the changes, the Department was able to continue to provide the traditionally popular programs such as skiing, tennis, swimming, basketball, slimnastics, gymnastics, pre-school, sailing and the summerscene. Also a few new programs were tried: track, archery, drama and mime.

Thanks to the efforts of the Norwell Jaycees, The Great July Fourth Road Race and the North River Canoe Race continued to be annual events. We wish to thank the School Department and the Tree and Grounds Department for their cooperative efforts and support. In addition, we would like to thank the program volunteers in basketball, pre-school, summerscene and skiing whose energy helped to make these programs possible.

For the year ending December 1981, the Recreation Department directly served over 1500 program participants and returned \$11,706.70 to the town in fees collected.

Norwell Housing Authority

The Norwell Housing Authority is pleased to submit the following report for 1981. The Authority has striven for two things: (1) to maintain Norwell Gardens and the Cardinal Cushing Residence and Training Center as comfortable homes with all privileges of privacy intact and (2) to foster a sense of neighborly peace and community spirit.

A most rewarding event was the successful training and living experiences with four of the Cardinal Cushing residents who were able to assume independent living in their own apartments. Much credit for this achievement is due to the Cardinal Cushing Supervisors and Teachers.

All 80 apartments have been occupied throughout the year. On an average there seems to be an approximate four-year waiting list from the time a person files an application for residency to the time of occupancy. For this reason the Norwell Housing Authority urges local residents who wish housing in Norwell Gardens to file applications by their sixty-second birthday.

The Authority suggests that local citizens contact the Executive Director should there be any questions regarding tenancy applications, etc.

A major problem exists with the water supply in that nine hot water tanks became inoperative during the course of the year. Engineering tests indicate that there is a chemical reaction by the minerals in the town water supply. This chemical reaction results in the metals being eaten away. The Norwell Housing Authority feels that this is a problem the Town of Norwell should face in the near future through a town-wide solution.

The Authority extends its thanks to the many private citizens for their concern for the well being of the Norwell Gardens residents. The Authority also is indebted to the many departments and agencies of the town who have cooperated so well with the Authority all through 1981.

The members of the Housing Authority wish to thank the Executive Director, Stanley Goldman for his services.

Director of Veterans' Services

This year has brought many changes to benefits available to veterans and their families from the VA. On October 1st the law regarding burial benefits was changed and unless a veteran dies of service connected disabilities they are no longer eligible to receive the \$300.00 allowed for burial. They will only receive \$150.00 towards the plot, if they are buried outside of a National or any other cemetery under the jurisdiction of the United States government, or in a cemetery provided by another unit of government. The payment for burial allowance where death is service connected remains at \$1,100.00. The allowance toward the purchase of a marker in lieu of a government marker/headstone will be maintained. If death occurs in a VA facility, the \$300.00 allowance will be paid, also the transportation allowance will be paid within the limits prescribed by the VA.

The Prisoner of War Health Care Benefits Act of 1981 makes it easier for former prisoners of war, held for as short a period as 30 days, to establish entitlement to compensation for certain disabilities. These veterans may now be compensated for certain psychological and nutrition related disorders regardless when they first appear. There are 57,000 of these very special veterans that the government is trying to locate. If you know anyone who falls into this category, please ask them to contact the VA in Boston.

If there are any questions regarding veterans benefits etc., please contact me through the Town Clerk's office at 659-4946.

In 1980-1981 the VA made expenditures of \$1,419,044.00 to 1,385 veterans in Norwell.

I would like to thank the girls in the Town Clerk's office for all their help and also the girls in the Town Hall who have taken many of my calls.

Council On Aging

We first occupied the Council on Aging Center, 293 Pine Street at the beginning of January 1981. At that time, renovations were still being made. Many work sessions were conducted with the contractors, as well as many seniors, and most of the work was completed by the end of April.

The South Shore Home Care Services of Cohasset approved a grant for furnishings for the Council along with a grant from the Massachusetts Department of Elder Affairs to help complete the architectural barrier free work. Donations to the building were made by many of the townspeople which were greatly appreciated. Many thanks to all who helped in making the drapes, the carpentry work, painting and decorating. The result is a building that is bright, cheery and tastefully furnished and decorated. A very successful open house was held in May of 1981.

Among the many programs housed at the center are the blood pressure and flu clinics, fuel assistance and energy workshop, sewing circle and rug hooking classes, as well as a

very successful hobby show which displayed the tremendous talent of some of the Norwell seniors. By December 31, 1981, we realized a total attendance at the center of 2,231.

Requests for our transportation program have increased over the past year and our shuttle bus is still being manned by a very dedicated group of volunteer drivers and we would like to thank each and every one of them for their services.

Many programs are available to us through the South Shore Home Care Services such as meals on wheels, chore people, legal services and transportation beyond the limits of our shuttle bus. Dorothy Lohnes and Alice Regan continue to attend meetings at the Home Care keeping us informed of all new programs.

As in previous years, we wish to thank the Norwell School Department for the hot lunch program for the seniors. This year the program is continuing on Thursdays at the Cole School, High Street. Many thanks to Mr. Peter Kaetzer and his staff for their courtesies to the seniors.

We wish to thank all who in any way made life for the elderly a bit happier and a little less lonely.

The Community Resources Committee

In 1981, the Community Resources Committee was able to obtain an \$85,000 grant from the Federal Urban Systems Program. This grant allowed the Town of Norwell to remove a visibility obstruction at the corner of Gerard Road and Grove Street. The committee was also successful in expediting a Norwell Homes Water Drainage Project with the assistance of Governor Edward J. King. The committee successfully persuaded the Governor to file a late-filed petition which ultimately saved the town the cost of calling a special town meeting. The committee also developed a park and ride program with the assistance of the Massachusetts Department of Public Works. The commuter parking lot which will be located on state property (Route 228 in Rockland) is scheduled to be completed in the Spring of 1982. Finally the committee is also looking into the future use of the Osborn School particularly in obtaining the Federal money for elderly housing. As always, the committee welcomes any new proposals for Federal or State funds.



Norwell's Senior Drop-in Center

Planning & Land Use

Planning Board

In 1981, the Planning Board continued to work with a full agenda at their weekly meetings. In the March Town Election, James W. Conover was re-elected and Anthony F. Buono was elected to serve in the position for which he had been appointed the previous year.

A total of twenty-eight plans not requiring approval under the Subdivision Control Act were examined and approved. During the year, the Board actively worked on eight subdivisions which are in various stages of completion. The Planning Board also reviewed and made recommendations on plans submitted to the Board of Appeals for formal Site Plan approval of proposed construction on lots within the business districts, as well as requests for variances which were submitted to the Board of Appeals.

The Planning Board meets every Monday evening in the Town Hall lobby. Appointments are taken on the first and third Mondays of each month.

Development and Industrial Commission

This past year has seen continued commercial development in the Town. Assinippi Park is growing steadily with the addition of an office-warehouse complex. Presently, under construction are the 100,000 square foot Eastern Uniform building and the 153 room Holiday Inn. Further, well-designed office buildings have been built on Route 53.

The commission continues to advertise, both in this publication as well as by direct mail, with the aim to attract commercial-industrial business into the town.

Board of Appeals

The Board of Appeals, comprised of Richard A. Gaudette, *Chairman*; Arthur J. Sewell, *Clerk*; Robert N. Maglathlin, and Eileen L. Kelly, and Dr. John W. Thompson, Associate Members, have met the first and third Wednesdays of each month this past year, in the Lobby of Town Hall, to hold public hearings required by law for all Variances, Special Permits, and Site Plan Reviews, and to act on the various business that is brought before the Board.

The Board has found several areas in the By-laws this year which were not specific and we have worked with the Planning Board to make revisions for same.

A breakdown of the 37 petitions received and acted upon this year is as follows:

Residential	Commercial
11	26
Petitions Granted:	25
Petitions Denied:	1
Petitions Withdrawn:	2
Hearings Not Necessary:	3
Hearings Pending:	6

It has been the practice of the Board to meet informally anyone who has a specific question about zoning. This is done by making an appointment with our secretary at Town Hall. They are then put on the Agenda, which closes the Monday afternoon before the Wednesday meeting. In this way, many questions are answered; making some hearings unnecessary, and expediting others.

Conservation Commission

In 1981, due to the increase in commercial and industrial building, the Conservation Commission had an extremely busy schedule. Seventeen Public Hearings and three Continued Public Hearings were held and the Commission issued 18 Orders of Conditions, three Letters of Determination, three Certificates of Compliance and seven Extensions of Orders. The services of consulting engineers were necessary for many of the projects and, in order to offset these costs, Town and State approval was received to implement a fee schedule for commercial or industrial projects, which went into effect in September.

Two parcels of land totaling five and one-half acres were given to the Commission and in October the Town received a check for \$22,433.00 from the State for reimbursement of one-half of the purchase price of Jacobs Wood, which consists of 29.91 acres of woods on Prospect Street.

Design Review Board

1981 found the Design Review Board reviewing numerous submittals.

By working very closely with the owners, architects, and developers, we had a successful year. The following projects were recommended for approval.

Assinippi Office Park:

East Coast Publications
Smith Print Company, Addition
Holiday Inn
Eastern Uniform Corp.

Washington Street:

Greg Webb's Professional Health Fitness Gym
Murphy's Retail Office Building—Adjacent to
Your Advantage
Quincy Savings Bank

Pond Street:

Massachusetts Bank & Trust Corp.
Prestige Auto, Addition
Aquateck Pools

The Personnel Board

During 1981, the Personnel Board has continued to work toward the implementation of the Personnel By-Law passed by the town voters in March 1980. In addition to questions concerning job classification, the Personnel board has become involved with such issues as promotions, merit increases, proper starting rates, seniority and vacation eligibility.

Despite some progress, there still remains a lot to be done in the development of systems and procedures necessary to administer the By-Laws.

During the past year, the Board has continued to receive strong support from Vice Chairman Fred Flavin, Maria Dooley, Claudia Climer, Marty Stern and Judy Salter, Secretary.

Finances

Advisory Board

For the past 15 months, the primary concern of the Advisory Board has been the impact of Proposition 2½.

Proposition 2½ imposed the following restrictions upon the town's ability to raise revenue:

- a. Amounts to be raised by real estate and personal property taxes cannot exceed 2½ percent of the total value of real estate and personal property in the Town. If this level is not achieved, taxes must be reduced 15 percent each year until they do reach the 2½ percent level.
- b. Taxes cannot be increased by more than 2½ percent from one year to the next.

In this, the first year of implementation, the Town has made the first mandate in that our taxes will be less than 2½ percent of the total value of the Town. This was achieved only after numerous budget cuts and a close control of the budgets by all of the Town's Departments. These budget reductions have reduced the amount raised by approximately 10%.

We are now beginning preparation of budgets and associated planning for our second year under 2½. At this point, we do not anticipate any across the board reductions. We currently believe that sufficient revenues will be available so that budgets may be recommended for increase in a 5 to 6 percent range. While this may not completely offset the impact of inflation, it should not adversely affect the general level of services provided by the Town's various departments.

Board of Assessors

Although everything from unfilled potholes to the lack of police protection is being blamed on Proposition 2½, Proposition 2½ had nothing to do with the early problems engulfing Norwell's State mandated Revaluation. At the time of our 1981 election, the full time appraiser position, held by Mrs. June Vanelli, was being phased out. Appraisers Collaborative had already been hired in December of 1980 to help complete our Revaluation, but after missing several deadlines required in their contract, they were terminated. Therefore, the completion of Norwell's in-house Revaluation was left to office staff and the Board of Assessors. Mr. Francis Logue, a professional appraiser, was named to fill a vacancy on the Board by votes of the Selectmen and the Assessors.

By a vote of 2 to 1, Mr. Logue was named by the Board of Assessors, Project Supervisor of Revaluation. About that time three of an office staff of three were replaced with highly experienced professional people. Since then Revaluation reached the point of formally requesting the State to come in to certify Norwell's 2,668 residential parcels, 943 open space parcels, and 105 personal property assessments on February 1, 1982. The commercial property was completed by the R. M. Bradley Co. of Boston, and 100% valuation was reached by them from three different approaches; Cost, Income and Direct Sales. The State quickly certified Norwell's commercial Revaluation on December 8th.

The Assessors attended various classes and seminars throughout the State in 1981 and under a new program, Chairman Donald A. Dionne attended classes at Amherst and was certified by the Department of Revenue in Tax Law and Assessment Administration. The Office Manager, Mrs. Ursula Guilford, with experience in the Scituate Assessors Office, and the Chief Clerk, Mrs. Barbara Aikens, with previous experience in the Weymouth Assessors Office, along with Junior Clerk, Mrs. Barbara Gingras, will be given a chance to attend seminars and classes given by the Department of Revenue.

The Board of Assessors would like to express its appreciation to all town departments at Cushing Hall along with the

Advisory Board for their display of team work, and to all Norwell Taxpayers for their patience and support. May Norwell have the fairest assessments possible.

Thank you,

Town Treasurer

Cash on hand July 1, 1980		
General	\$	70,753.56
Federal Revenue Sharing P.L. 92-512		469.45
		<u>71,223.01</u>
Receipts to June 30, 1981		27,977,094.59
		<u>28,048,317.60</u>
Payments to June 30, 1981		27,871,606.48
Gen. Cash Balance June 30, 1981	176,576.77	
Federal Revenue—P.L. 92-512		
Balance June 30, 1981:	<u>134.35</u>	176,711.12
Other Cash Balances June 30, 1981:		
Revenue Cash Investments	1,850,000.00	
Federal Revenue Cash Invest.	122,000.00	
Non-Revenue Cash Invest.	550,000.00	
Spec. Cash—Valley Swamp Escrow	4,336.84	
Spec. Cash—Vega Trust Account	<u>4,198.38</u>	2,530,535.22
TOTAL CASH—JUNE 30, 1981		\$ 2,707,246.34

CONSERVATION FUND

Balance in Fund July 1, 1980	\$	31,712.29
Added to Fund		<u>8,500.00</u>
		40,212.29
Interest added to July 1, 1981		<u>1,828.52</u>
		42,040.81
Withdrawn to July 1, 1981		<u>11,658.20</u>
Balance in Fund July 1, 1981		30,382.61

STABILIZATION FUND

Balance in Fund July 1, 1980		74,370.88
Interest added to July 1, 1981		<u>4,842.99</u>
Balance in Fund July 1, 1981		79,213.87

FENDER LIBRARY FUND

Amount of Fund—\$10,000.00		
Interest available July 1, 1980		1,870.10
Interest added to July 1, 1981		<u>1,499.09</u>
		3,369.19
Withdrawn to July 1, 1981		<u>00.00</u>
Interest available July 1, 1981		3,369.19

BICENTENNIAL LIBRARY FUND

Amount of Fund—\$400.00		
Interest available July 1, 1980		46.03
Interest added to July 1, 1981		<u>23.28</u>
		69.31
Withdrawn to July 1, 1981		<u>0.00</u>
Interest available to July 1, 1981		69.31

TRICENTENNIAL TRUST FUND

Amount of Fund—\$100.00		
Interest balance July 1, 1980		17.56
Interest added to July 1, 1981		<u>6.10</u>
		23.66

JOHN C. BOND MEMORIAL FUND

Amount of Fund—\$1,800.00	
Interest available July 1, 1980	\$ 180.45
Interest added to July 1, 1981	102.94
	<u>283.39</u>
Withdrawn to July 1, 1981—for Susan Abbott	100.00
Interest available July 1, 1981	183.39
\$100.00 Scholarship awarded Lee Trocki June 6, 1981 to be paid in fiscal 1982	

COFFIN CEMETERY AND CHARITY FUND

Amount of Fund—\$2,000.00	
Interest available July 1, 1980	748.70
Interest added to July 1, 1981	143.63
	<u>892.33</u>
Withdrawn to July 1, 1981	892.33
Interest available July 1, 1981	00.00

ABIGAIL T. OTIS POOR FUND

Amount of Fund—\$2,000.00	
Interest available July 1, 1980	4,944.42
Interest added to July 1, 1981	362.93
	<u>5,307.35</u>
Withdrawn to July 1, 1981	00.00
Interest available July 1, 1981	5,307.35

ABIGAIL T. OTIS CEMETERY FUND

Amount of Fund—\$1,000.00	
Interest available July 1, 1980	374.29
Interest added to July 1, 1981	71.80
	<u>446.09</u>
Withdrawn to July 1, 1981	446.09
Interest available July 1, 1981	00.00

ABIGAIL T. OTIS TOMB FUND

Amount of Fund—\$500.00	
Interest available July 1, 1980	187.01
Interest added to July 1, 1981	35.88
	<u>222.89</u>
Withdrawn to July 1, 1981	222.89
Interest available July 1, 1981	00.00

ANNABEL WAKEFIELD POOR FUND

Amount of Fund—\$1,000.00	
Interest available July 1, 1980	4,117.09
Interest added to July 1, 1981	267.42
	<u>4,384.51</u>
Withdrawn to July 1, 1981	00.00
Interest available July 1, 1981	4,384.51

ANNABEL WAKEFIELD LIBRARY FUND

Amount of Fund—\$100.00	
Interest available July 1, 1980	136.20
Interest added to July 1, 1981	12.31
	<u>148.51</u>
Withdrawn to July 1, 1981	00.00
Interest available July 1, 1981	148.51

FRED B. CLAPP CEMETERY FUND

Amount of Fund—\$1,000.00	
Interest available July 1, 1980	122.46
Interest added to July 1, 1981	56.16
	<u>178.62</u>
Withdrawn to July 1, 1981	178.62
Interest available to July 1, 1981	00.00

SARAH A. SAWYER CEMETERY FUND

Amount of Fund—\$200.00 (In custody of Commonwealth of Massachusetts)	
Interest available July 1, 1980	193.21
Interest added to July 1, 1981	38.30
	<u>231.51</u>
Withdrawn to July 1, 1981	00.00
Interest available to July 1, 1981	231.51

CHARLES H. PIKE CEMETERY FUND

Amount of Fund—\$200.00	
Interest available July 1, 1980	197.68
Interest added to July 1, 1981	11.64
	<u>209.32</u>
Withdrawn to July 1, 1981	00.00
Interest available to July 1, 1981	209.32

MARY E. FARRAR OR JOSEPH ESTES CEMETERY FUND

Amount of Fund—\$1,000.00	
Interest available July 1, 1980	169.17
Interest added to July 1, 1981	65.62
	<u>234.79</u>
Withdrawn to July 1, 1981	00.00
Interest available July 1, 1981	234.79

**WASHINGTON STREET CEMETERY
PERMANENT CARE FUND**

Balance July 1, 1980	13,339.83
Receipts to July 1, 1981 (Sale of Lots)	2,451.00
Interest added to July 1, 1981	721.93
	<u>16,512.76</u>
Withdrawn for Article 10, Annual Town Meeting 3/81	10,000.00
Balance July 1, 1981	6,512.76

CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

	Principal	Interest
Balance July 1, 1980	\$57,621.40	\$40,420.09
New Funds:		
John C. Slupski	201.00	
William F. Kerwin	101.00	
Agnes R. Cummings	100.00	
Henry C. Wood	50.00	
Constance M. Anstead	100.00	
Robert F. & Pearl G. Burke	100.00	
Jeanne St. Aubin	100.00	
James E. Call	100.00	
John F. & Jean C. Gillis	200.00	
Robert L. & Marie C. Molla	250.00	
Roseanne V. Haugh	200.00	
H. S. Harrison	250.00	
William D. & Sadie J. Dickie	100.00	
Douglas N. Young	100.00	
David Clark	200.00	
Margaret M. Karns	100.00	
William H. Murray	200.00	
Martha Clark	200.00	
Dorothy F. Gallant	100.00	
William G. Valair	100.00	
Interest added to July 1, 1981		<u>5,690.76</u>
		46,110.85
Withdrawals to July 1, 1981		<u>8,375.49</u>
Balance July 1, 1981	\$60,473.40	\$37,735.36

Respectfully submitted,
Elizabeth J. Power
Town Treasurer



The North River looking downstream from Union Bridge

Town Collector FISCAL YEAR 1980-1981

STANDING BALANCES JULY 1, 1980:

1975 Personal Property	\$ 1,385.44	
1976 Personal Property	2,610.52	
1977 Personal Property	1,531.78	
1978 Personal Property	3,636.50	
1979 Personal Property	5,504.39	
1980 Personal Property	2,886.13	
1979 Real Estate	11.46	
1980 Real Estate	192,769.09	
1980 Water Liens	486.43	
1974 Motor Vehicle Excise	2,723.57	
1975 Motor Vehicle Excise	9,962.10	
1976 Motor Vehicle Excise	9,377.22	
1977 Motor Vehicle Excise	10,835.24	
1978 Motor Vehicle Excise	10,889.06	
1979 Motor Vehicle Excise	9,303.20	
1980 Motor Vehicle Excise	94,441.92	
1980 Boat Excise Tax	688.00	
1979 Water Rates	14,737.20	
1980 Water Rates	19,868.66	
Civil Defense-Ambulance	18,454.05	
Special Police Detail	826.00	
TOTAL OUTSTANDING 7/1/80		\$ 412,927.96

COMMITMENTS RECEIVED JULY 1, 1980-JUNE 30, 1981

1980 Farm Animal Excise	232.33	
1981 Personal Property	203,446.50	
1981 Real Estate	6,751,294.80	
1980 Forest Land Tax	34.54	
1981 Water Rates	7,833.32	
1979 Motor Vehicle Excise	59.40	
1980 Motor Vehicle Excise	95,304.35	
1981 Motor Vehicle Excise	210,342.65	
1981 Boat Excise	4,156.00	
1980 Water Rates	87,623.24	
1981 Water Rates	228,922.68	
Civil Defense-Ambulance	14,495.00	
Special Police Detail	13,179.25	
Trailer Fees	3,156.00	
TOTAL COMMITMENTS		\$7,620,080.06

REFUNDS PAID	23,969.05	
ABATEMENTS RESCINDED	390.78	
TAX TITLES RESCINDED	5,147.12	
PAID TO TREASURER		7,378,790.60
ABATEMENTS		108,781.62
TAX DEFERRALS		7,374.00
1979 WATER RATES COMMITTED TO ASSESSORS FOR LIENS		7,833.32
1981 REAL ESTATE ADDED TO TAX POSSESSIONS		1,152.00

OUTSTANDING BALANCES—JUNE 30, 1981

1975 Personal Property	1,385.44	
1976 Personal Property	2,610.52	
1977 Personal Property	1,531.78	
1978 Personal Property	3,636.50	
1979 Personal Property	5,369.08	
1980 Personal Property	1,967.94	
1981 Personal Property	3,653.66	
1980 Real Estate	28,386.51	
1981 Real Estate	299,692.97	
1981 Water Liens	1,301.84	
1974 Motor Vehicle Excise	59.30	
1975 Motor Vehicle Excise	9,605.97	
1976 Motor Vehicle Excise	9,040.34	
1977 Motor Vehicle Excise	10,052.84	
1978 Motor Vehicle Excise	8,976.87	
1979 Motor Vehicle Excise	5,798.32	
1980 Motor Vehicle Excise	14,341.33	
1981 Motor Vehicle Excise	35,551.79	
1980 Boat Excise Tax	598.00	
1981 Boat Excise Tax	1,662.48	
1980 Water Rates	16,096.54	
1981 Water Rates	68,022.86	
Civil Defense—Ambulance	27,376.05	
Special Police Detail	1,660.50	
Trailer Fees	204.00	
		558,583.43
TOTAL OUTSTANDING 6/30/81		<u>\$8,062,514.97</u>
		<u>\$8,062,514.97</u>

COLLECTED AND PAID TO TREASURER

INTEREST	30,296.37
COST, CHARGES & FEES	4,987.22
MUNICIPAL LIEN CERTIFICATES	3,480.00

Respectfully submitted,
 Elizabeth J. Power
 Town Collector

Accounting Department

To the Board of Selectmen and
the Citizens of the Town of Norwell:

Submitted herewith is the Annual Report of the Accounting Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1981. The report is prepared in accordance with Section 61 of Chapter 41, Massachusetts General Laws as amended, and includes the following:

- (1) Balance Sheet of General Accounts, Trust and Investment Accounts, Debt Accounts

- (2) Receipts
(3) Summary of Payments, Appropriations,
and other Accounts
(4) Recapitulation

Respectfully submitted,
Terence Finan
Town Accountant
Camille P. Hudson
Assistant Town Accountant

TOWN OF NORWELL BALANCE SHEET June 30, 1981

ASSETS

Cash - General	176,576.77	
- Federal Revenue Sharing PL92-512	134.35	
- Revenue Cash Investments	1,850,000.00	
- Federal Revenue Cash Investments	122,000.00	
- Non-Revenue Cash Investments	550,000.00	
- Special Cash Valley Swamp Escrow	4,336.84	
- Special Cash Vega Trust	<u>4,198.38</u>	2,707,246.34
Accounts Receivable		
Taxes:		
Levy of:		
1981 Personal Property	3,653.66	
1980 Personal Property	1,967.94	
1979 Personal Property	5,369.08	
1978 Personal Property	3,636.50	
1977 Personal Property	1,531.78	
1976 Personal Property	2,610.52	
1975 Personal Property	1,385.44	
1981 Real Estate	299,692.97	
1980 Real Estate	<u>28,386.51</u>	348,234.40
Motor Vehicle Excise:		
Levy of:		
1981	35,551.79	
1980	14,341.33	
1979	5,798.32	
1978	8,976.87	
1977	10,052.84	
1976	9,040.34	
1975	9,605.97	
1974	<u>59.30</u>	93,426.76
Boat Excise:		
Levy of 1981	1,662.48	
Levy of 1980	<u>598.00</u>	2,260.48
Tax Titles and Possessions:		
Titles	89,123.44	
Possessions	<u>28,814.29</u>	117,937.73
Taxes Deferred		24,849.45

Departmental:		
Veterans' Benefits	10,288.44	
Civil Defense Ambulance	27,376.05	
Trailer Fees	204.00	
Police Extra Detail	<u>1,660.50</u>	39,528.99
Water Department:		
1981 Water Rates	68,022.86	
1980 Water Rates	16,096.54	
1981 Water Liens	<u>1,301.84</u>	85,421.24
FY1982 Appropriations:		
FY1982 Revenue	9,385,363.45	
Federal Revenue Sharing Funds FY1982	<u>200,000.00</u>	9,585,363.45
Loans Authorized:		
1982 Water Mains		100,000.00
Transfer from Federal Revenue Sharing Funds Authorized		
		200,000.00
Unprovided for or Overdrawn Accounts:		
State and County Underestimates 1981:		
Plymouth County Tax	17,575.82	
Special Education Assessment	<u>2,219.00</u>	<u>19,794.82</u>
<u>TOTAL ASSETS</u>		<u>13,324,063.66</u>
<u>LIABILITIES AND RESERVES</u>		
Payroll Deductions:		
Plymouth County Retirement	7,567.88	
Blue Cross/Blue Shield	17,075.43	
Healthway Medical Plan	333.98	
Harvard Health Plan	134.64	
Multi-Group Health Plan	507.44	
Group Insurance	2,270.86	
Union Dues	290.40	
Mass. Teachers Retirement	17,149.87	
Teachers' Annuities	<u>3,801.17</u>	49,131.67
Agency:		
Dog Licenses Due County	1,526.20	
Registry Release Reserve	<u>1.00</u>	1,527.20
Reserves:		
Tailings--Unclaimed Checks	1,494.67	
Insurance Recoveries	1,956.00	
Valley Swamp Escrow Account	4,336.84	
South St. Landtaking--Vega Trust	4,198.38	
Cushing Hill Recovery Fund	<u>16,355.63</u>	28,341.52
Gifts and Bequests:		
Senior Citizen Drop-In Center Fund	644.13	
Fire Dept. Training Aids Fund	387.42	
Ambulance and Resusci-Anni Fund	310.02	
Woman's Club Library Fund	962.56	
Isabella Fogg Fund	1,000.00	
Woman's Club Recreation Fund	<u>38.26</u>	3,342.39

Trust Fund Income:		
F. M. Cushing Fund	18,962.63	
Charles H. Pike Cemetery Fund	209.32	
Sarah A. Sawyer Cemetery Fund	<u>231.51</u>	19,403.46
Federal Grants:		
Federal Revenue Sharing PL92-512	122,134.35	
Title V Senior Citizen Center Grant	427.10	
Title III-B Senior Citizen Center Grant	164.00	
School:		
Title I - ESEA PL89-10	13,378.01	
Title I - PL874	1,272.39	
Title IV-B - ESEA PL95-561	30.71	
Title VI-B - PL94-142	1,368.99	
Indochinese Refugee Grant	<u>6,671.00</u>	145,446.55
Revolving Funds:		
School Lunch	11,710.91	
School Athletics	340.88	
Police Extra Detail	102.00	
Recreation	<u>870.00</u>	13,023.79
Appropriation Balances:		
Revenue:		
General	332,867.04	
Water:		
Maintenance and Operation	7,855.84	
Construction and Extension	<u>45,765.94</u>	386,488.72
Non-Revenue:		
Drainage	542,599.65	
Water Improvements	56,699.20	
Dump Closing	2,925.94	
Library Construction	<u>1,764.82</u>	603,989.61
Appropriations Voted FY1982:		
Revenue	9,385,363.45	
Transfer from Surplus Revenue	806,659.00	
Federal Revenue Sharing	200,000.00	
Dog Tax Refund	170.71	
State Aid to Library	4,499.50	
Transfer from Reserve Fund-Overlay Surplus	38,000.00	
Transfer from Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund	5,948.00	
Transfer from Cemetery Permanent Fund	<u>10,000.00</u>	10,450,640.66
Loans Authorized and Unissued		100,000.00
1972 High School Principal Approp. from Fed. Rev. Authorized		200,000.00
State and County Overestimates 1981:		
County Hospital Assessment	1,403.72	
State Recreation Areas	621.77	
MBTA	431.23	
Metropolitan Air Pollution Control	<u>285.46</u>	2,742.18
Receipts Reserved for Appropriations:		
Road Machinery Fund		7,813.43
Reserve Fund - Overlay Surplus		342.40

Overlays Reserved for Abatements:

Levy of 1981	219,378.35	
Levy of 1980	<u>46,709.58</u>	266,087.93

Revenue Reserved Until Collected:

Motor Vehicle Excise	93,426.76	
Boat Excise	2,260.48	
Tax Title and Possession	117,937.73	
Departmental	39,528.99	
Water	<u>85,421.24</u>	338,575.20

Surplus Revenue		<u>707,166.95</u>
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TOTAL LIABILITIES AND RESERVES13,324,063.66

TRUST AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

Trust Funds, Cash and Securities		<u>249,338.71</u>
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In Custody of Treasurer:

Cemetery Funds:

Washington Street Cemetery Fund	6,512.76	
Perpetual Care Funds	98,208.76	
Fred B. Clapp Cemetery Fund	1,000.00	
Coffin Cemetery and Charity Fund	2,000.00	
Farrar-Foster-Estes Fund	1,234.79	
Abigail T. Otis Cemetery Fund	1,000.00	
Abigail T. Otis Tomb Fund	500.00	
Charles H. Pike Cemetery Fund	<u>200.00</u>	110,656.31

Charity Funds:

A. T. Otis Charity Fund	7,307.35	
Wakefield Charity Fund	<u>5,384.51</u>	12,691.86

Conservation Fund		30,382.61
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Library Funds:

Fenger Fund	13,369.19	
Wakefield Fund	248.51	
Bicentennial Library Trust Fund	<u>469.31</u>	14,087.01

School Funds:

John C. Bond Memorial Fund		1,983.39
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Investment Funds:

Stabilization Fund	79,213.87	
Tricentennial Trust Fund	<u>123.66</u>	79,337.53

In Custody of the Commonwealth:

Sara A. Sawyer Cemetery Fund		<u>200.00</u>
		<u>249,338.71</u>

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt:

Inside Debt Limit - General		1,045,000.00
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Outside Debt Limit:

General	1,170,000.00	
Water	<u>305,000.00</u>	<u>1,475,000.00</u>
		<u>2,520,000.00</u>

Serial Loans:

Inside Debt Limit:

General:

1980 School Roofs Repair	135,000.00	
1968 Drainage	30,000.00	
1979 Fire Station	45,000.00	
1967 Fire Station	10,000.00	
1979 Sanitary Landfill	115,000.00	
1981 Drainage	<u>710,000.00</u>	<u>1,045,000.00</u>

Outside Debt Limit:

General:

1972 High School	670,000.00	
1974 Sparrell School Renovation & Sewage	330,000.00	
1966 Vinal Elementary School	150,000.00	
1972 Golf Course Land	<u>20,000.00</u>	<u>1,170,000.00</u>

Public Service Enterprise:

Water:

1981	100,000.00	
1980	60,000.00	
1979	140,000.00	
1971	<u>5,000.00</u>	<u>305,000.00</u>
		<u>2,520,000.00</u>

RECEIPTS

July 1, 1980 - June 30, 1981

GENERAL REVENUE

TAXES:

1980-1981 Tax Levy:

Personal Property	199,762.84
Real Estate	6,378,717.18

Previous Years' Taxes:

Personal Property	1,053.50
Real Estate	169,946.21

Tax Title Redemptions	51,912.76
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Farm Animal Excise Tax	232.33
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Forest Land Excise Tax	34.54
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From State:

Loss of taxes on abatements	<u>12,078.19</u>
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Total Taxes

6,813,737.55

LICENSES AND PERMITS:

Alcoholic Beverage	10,178.36	
Other	<u>31,198.75</u>	41,377.11

COURT FINES		38,132.05
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GRANTS AND GIFTS:

Grants:

From Federal Government:

Federal Revenue Sharing PL92-512	172,943.00	
School:		
Lunches	58,410.42	
Title I ESEA PL89-10	13,528.00	
Title IV-B PL95-561	12,486.00	
Title VI-B PL94-142	48,400.00	
Indochinese Refugee Grant	206.00	
Council on Aging:		
Title V - Drop-in Center	3,600.00	
Title III-B - Furnishings for Center	<u>2,500.00</u>	312,073.42

From State:

School:

Chapter 70	1,031,326.00
Construction	703,623.12
Transportation - Chapter 71, 71B	89,708.00
Vocational Education - Chapter 74	2,733.00
Meals Tax	892.88
Lunches	16,403.20
Energy Conservation - Chapter 796	18,960.30
Energy Audit Grant	1,300.00
Aid to Highways	186,619.63

Library Aid - Chapter 78, 19A	4,499.50	
Local Aid Fund - Lottery, Beano, Charity Games	<u>205,578.00</u>	2,261,643.63

From County:

Dog Licenses		170.71
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Gifts:

Fire Dept. Training Aids	221.75	
Senior Citizens Drop-In Center	250.00	
Woman's Club Recreation Fund	2,483.45	
Paul McCarthy Library Fund	<u>100.00</u>	3,055.20

COMMERCIAL REVENUE

PRIVILEGES:

1981 Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	166,618.82	
1980 Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	169,753.45	
1973-79 Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	7,353.78	
1981 Boat Excise Tax	1,509.64	
1980 Boat Excise Tax	<u>90.00</u>	
Total Commercial Revenue		345,325.69

DEPARTMENTAL REVENUE

GENERAL GOVERNMENT:

Moderator - Fish Rights	36.00	
Selectmen - Copy Fees and Telephone Commission	466.08	
Treasurer/Collector - Municipal Liens & Charges	8,968.03	
Town Clerk - Copy Fees and Sales	2,560.45	
Planning Board Fees	2,396.28	
Zoning Board of Appeals - Hearing Fees	2,369.70	
Land Court Costs	773.05	
Conservation Commission Fees	350.00	
Town Hall Rental	<u>175.00</u>	
Total General Government		18,094.59

PUBLIC SAFETY:

Police Department:		
Extra Detail	12,300.75	
Reports	1,838.20	
Fire Department Reports	20.00	
Sealer of Weights & Measures' Sealing Fees	461.20	
Animal Control Officer Fees	1,348.00	
Civil Defense Ambulance Fees	<u>5,593.00</u>	
Total Public Safety		21,561.15

HEALTH AND SANITATION:

Trailer Park Fees	2,952.00	
Water Testing Fees	<u>400.00</u>	
Total Health and Sanitation		3,352.00

HIGHWAYS:

Bid Forfeits		120.00
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VETERANS' SERVICES:

Reimbursement from State		13,342.69
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SCHOOLS:

Adult Practical Arts	2,425.00	
Rent and Custodial Services	2,460.75	
Sale of Lunches	165,686.95	
Athletic Events	8,809.62	
Shop Projects	1,258.70	
Driver Education Fees	3,825.00	
Miscellaneous	<u>903.61</u>	
Total Schools		185,369.63

LIBRARY:

Fines		1,730.40
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RECREATION:

Fees		8,618.50
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UNCLASSIFIED:

Golf Course Property Rental	200.00	
Insurance Recoveries	<u>12,231.98</u>	
Total Unclassified		12,431.98

WATER DEPARTMENT

1981 Water Rates	158,843.24	
1981 Water Liens	6,531.48	
Water Rates Previous Years	97,011.41	
Water Liens Previous Years	486.43	
Connections	<u>20,801.83</u>	
Total Water		283,674.39

CEMETERIES

Sale of Lots	12,451.00	
Care of Lots	<u>4,320.00</u>	
Total Cemeteries		16,771.00

INTEREST

Deposits	8,105.93	
Real Estate and Personal Property	51,107.49	
Motor Vehicle Excise	858.84	
Investment Funds	224,073.71	
Public Trust Funds:		
Federal Revenue Sharing PL92-512	22,721.90	
Miscellaneous	<u>1,165.50</u>	
Total Interest		308,033.37

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Serial Loans:		
Drainage	810,000.00	
Water Mains	100,000.00	
Premiums	<u>1,202.85</u>	
Total Municipal Indebtedness		911,202.85

AGENCY, TRUST AND INVESTMENT

AGENCY:		
Fish and Game Licenses	2,668.75	
Dog Licenses for the County	4,223.65	
Payroll Deductions	<u>1,780,892.51</u>	1,787,784.91

TRUST:		
Perpetual Care Funds	12,894.90	
Conservation Fund	11,658.20	
F. M. Cushing Fund	6,140.00	
John C. Bond Memorial Fund	<u>100.00</u>	30,793.10

INVESTMENT:		
Revenue Cash Investments	10,250,000.00	
Non-revenue Cash Investments	3,000,000.00	
Federal Revenue Cash Investments	<u>1,301,361.19</u>	14,551,361.19

REFUNDS

Departmental	4,061.75	
Veterans' Benefits	200.00	
Workmen's Compensation	2,000.73	
Petty Cash Returned	<u>1,075.00</u>	7,337.48

<u>TOTAL RECEIPTS</u>		<u>\$27,977,094.59</u>
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SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS, APPROPRIATIONS, AND OTHER ACCOUNTS

	Balance 7/1/80	Appropriations 1980/81	Receipts Refunds Transfers	Expended 1980/81	Closed to Revenue	Forward to FY1982
GENERAL GOVERNMENT						
2-1 Moderator - Salary		80.00		40.00	40.00	
2-2 Selectmen - Salaries		2,200.00		2,200.00		
2-3 Selectmen - Expenses		7,190.00	70.00			
Books & Periodicals				339.50		
Printing/Postage/Supplies				2,040.36		
Advertising				578.22		
Dues/Meetings				2,016.54		
Equipment Repairs				307.83		
Miscellaneous				440.31		
Petty Cash				25.00	5,747.76	1,512.24
2-4 Exec. Sec./Town Acct. Salary		22,316.00	(2,484.97)	19,831.03		
2-5 Exec. Sec. Out-of-State Travel		600.00	(600.00)			
2-6 Town Hall Clerks' Salaries		37,316.00		35,848.85	1,467.15	
2-7 Town Hall Custodian's Salary		7,125.00	(2,000.00)	4,851.35	273.65	
2-8 Town Hall Expenses		15,669.00	2,200.00			
Telephone				5,185.21		
Heat				2,886.60		
Copy Machine				3,761.16		
Electricity				4,166.94		
Building & Equipment Maintenance				554.08	16,553.99	1,315.01
2-9 Town Counsel - Retainer Fee		4,000.00		4,000.00		
2-10 Town Counsel - Extra Legal Expenses		20,000.00		19,944.53	55.47	
2-11 Town Counsel - Collective Bargaining		2,500.00	665.50	3,165.50		
2-12 Town Counsel - Settlements/Claims		1,000.00				1,000.00
2-13 Town Meetings & Elections Salaries		4,747.00		4,417.18	329.82	
2-14 Town Meetings & Elections Expenses		2,000.00		1,289.32	710.68	
2-14A Selectmen - Stetson Meadows House		300.00		294.40	5.60	
3-1 Selectmen - Typewriter		700.00		666.00	34.00	
Art. 8 Selectmen						
3/80 Audit Town Financial Books		10,500.00		8,100.00	2,400.00	
Art. 43 Selectmen						
3/80 Parade Cancellation Expense		1,000.00			1,000.00	
Art. 37 Selectmen						
3/79 Laying Out Town Ways	4,092.50			200.00		3,892.50
Art. 46 Selectmen						
3/79 Stetson Meadows House	1,906.50			433.15		1,473.35
TOTAL SELECTMEN'S	5,999.00	139,243.00	(2,149.47)	127,583.06	10,143.62	5,365.85
2-15 Treasurer/Collector Salary		20,280.00		20,280.00		
2-16 Treasurer/Collector Clerical		25,361.00		25,360.44	.56	
2-17 Treasurer/Collector Expenses		13,329.00	594.78			
Printing/Postage/Supplies				12,235.43		
Equipment Rental/Repairs				667.00		
Dues/Meetings				166.90		
Professional Services				74.80		
Miscellaneous				517.65		
Petty Cash				100.00	13,761.78	162.00
2-18 Treasurer/Collector Tax Title Expense		5,000.00	4,023.00	8,554.75	468.25	
2-19 Treasurer/Collector Bonding Costs		18,000.00		17,502.50	497.50	
3-2 Treasurer/Collector - Typewriter		695.00		690.00	5.00	
TOTAL TREASURER/COLLECTOR		82,665.00	4,617.78	86,149.47	1,133.31	
2-20 Assessors' Salaries		4,150.00		4,122.38	27.62	
2-21 Assessors Clerical		26,597.00		25,609.77	987.23	
2-21A Assessors - Appraiser/s Salary		18,000.00		15,103.47	2,896.53	
2-22 Assessors - General Expenses		13,400.00	28,230.00			
Books & Periodicals				616.90		
Printing/Postage/Supplies				2,981.01		
Professional Services				1,475.13		
Travel Expense				591.87		
Equipment Maintenance				204.36		
Dues/Meetings				1,024.96		
Maps and Plans				1,722.51		
Revaluation Expense				18,576.60		
Petty Cash				10.00	27,203.34	3,383.26
2-22A Assessors - Revaluation Expense		1,700.00		1,446.65	253.35	11,043.40
3-3 Assessors - Fireproof Cabinet		700.00		699.60	.40	
3-3A Assessors - Typewriter		698.00		698.00		
Art. 4 Assessors						
3/79 SP Appraiser	716.71			559.08	157.63	
Art. 1 Assessors						
3/81 SP Revaluation		6,000.00				6,000.00
TOTAL BOARD OF ASSESSORS	716.71	71,245.00	28,230.00	75,442.29	7,706.02	17,043.40
2-23 Town Clerk's Salary		13,092.00		13,092.00		
2-24 Town Clerk Clerical		9,869.00		9,562.91	306.09	
2-25 Town Clerk - Out-of-State Travel		300.00		300.00		
2-26 Town Clerk - Expenses		2,500.00				
Printing/Postage/Supplies				971.29		
Professional Services				438.24		

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Equipment Maintenance				121.27		
Dues/Meetings				564.17	405.03	
Art. 52 Town Clerk						
3/80 Printing By-laws		5,000.00		1,676.40		3,323.60
2-27 Board of Registrars Salaries		300.00		300.00		
2-28 Board of Registrars Clerk's Salary		250.00		250.00		
2-29 Board of Registrars Clerical		5,624.00		4,730.72	893.28	
2-30 Board of Registrars - Expenses		5,200.00				
Printing/Postage/Supplies				690.84		
Street Listings				3,049.97		
Miscellaneous				230.32	1,164.04	
TOTAL TOWN CLERK/REGISTRARS		42,135.00		36,042.96	2,768.44	3,323.60
2-31 Board of Appeals Expenses		2,050.00	614.12			
Printing/Postage/Supplies				690.84		
Advertising				1,431.49		
Professional Services				410.00		
Miscellaneous				37.00	94.79	
2-32 Board of Appeals Clerical		2,375.00	235.00	2,608.83	1.17	
TOTAL BOARD OF APPEALS		4,425.00	849.12	5,178.16	95.96	
2-34 Planning Board Clerical		5,956.00		5,952.32	3.68	
2-35 Planning Board Work Supervisor		2,000.00		2,000.00		
2-36 Planning Board Expenses		7,450.00				
Engineering				2,525.55		
Printing/Postage/Supplies				349.76		
Advertising				219.78		
Mileage				303.76		
Miscellaneous				44.43	4,006.72	
Planning Board -						
Cushing Hill Recovery	18,455.63			2,100.00		16,355.63
Planning Board -						
Accord Park Dr Recovery	16,380.00			16,380.00		
TOTAL PLANNING BOARD	34,835.63	15,406.00		29,875.60	4,010.40	16,355.63
2-37 Design Review Board Expenses		1,418.00		111.03	1,306.97	
2-38 Design Review Board Clerical		700.00		604.41	95.59	
2-39 Devel & Industrial Comm Expenses		2,000.00		1,026.00	974.00	
2-40 Devel & Industrial Comm Clerical		250.00			250.00	
2-41 PBMC Expenses		100.00			100.00	
2-42 PBMC Clerical		500.00			500.00	
2-43 Permanent Site Comm Clerical		1.00			1.00	
2-44 Permanent Site Comm Expenses		1.00			1.00	
2-45 Government Study Comm Expenses		200.00			200.00	
2-46 Government Study Comm Clerical		100.00			100.00	
2-47 Capital Budget Comm Expenses		600.00			600.00	
2-49 Conservation Comm Expenses		2,113.00	10.00			
Engineering				636.00		
Printing/Postage/Supplies				718.87		
Professional Services				441.94		
Dues & Membership				185.00		
Miscellaneous				94.96		
Petty Cash				10.00	2,086.77	36.23
2-50 Conservation Comm Clerical		5,457.00		5,455.41	1.59	
2-50A Conservation Comm Agent's Salary		2,000.00		2,000.00		
Art 28 Conservation Commission						
3/80 Prospect St. Land		22,432.50	22,432.50	44,865.00		
TOTAL CONSERVATION COMMISSION		32,002.50	22,442.50	54,407.18	37.82	
2-51 Council on Aging Expenses		8,200.00				
Utilities				2,028.18		
Transportation				1,089.54		
Building & Grounds Maintenance				1,399.14		
Printing/Postage/Supplies				856.41		
Miscellaneous				185.00		
Equipment Repairs				2,257.53	7,815.80	348.20
2-52 Council on Aging Salaries		11,360.00		5,869.49	5,490.51	
Art. 51 Council on Aging						
3/80 Shuttle Bus Expense		9,000.00		9,000.00		
Senior Center Grant Title V			3,600.00	3,172.90	427.10	
Senior Center Grant Title IIIB			2,500.00	2,336.00		164.00
Senior Center Gift Fund	1,035.00		250.00	640.87		644.13
TOTAL COUNCIL ON AGING	1,035.00	28,560.00	6,350.00	28,835.06	6,265.81	808.13
2-53 Personnel Board Expenses		500.00		94.15	405.85	
2-54 Personnel Board Clerical		800.00		628.52	171.48	
2-57 Mass. Historical Comm Expenses		300.00			300.00	
2-58 Insurance Advisory Comm Expenses		1.00			1.00	
2-59 Route 228 Study Committee		500.00			500.00	
2-61 Stetson Meadows Comm Expenses		7,500.00		1,501.26	5,998.74	

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PUBLIC SAFETY							
2-64	Police Dept.-Chief's Salary		28,266.00		26,811.16	1,454.84	
2-65	Police Dept.-Officers' Payrolls		449,035.00		426,883.89	22,151.11	
2-66	Police Dept.-Payrolls Othera		19,423.00		17,658.21	1,764.79	
	Police Dept.-Extra Detail	524.00		12,300.75	12,722.75		102.00
2-67	Police Dept. Expenses		34,650.00	3,054.13			
	Heat				2,840.03		
	Electricity				2,598.55		
	Books & Periodicals				470.85		
	Ammunition				2,294.32		
	Building Maintenance				3,002.41		
	Printing/Postage/Supplies				2,854.82		
	Telephone				5,021.49		
	Mileage				1,491.30		
	Copy Machine				1,351.39		
	Equipment Repairs				2,068.27		
	Dues/Meetings				292.97		
	Materials				1,039.46		
	New Equipment				1,201.49		
	Uniform Cleaning				3,503.00		
	Uniform Allowance				6,972.15		
	Miscellaneous				516.36		
					37,518.86	185.27	
2-67A	Police Dept.-Crime Prevention		3,332.00		3,328.51	3.49	
2-68	Police Dept. Cruiser Expense		49,550.00		27,117.90	22,432.10	
2-68A	Police Dept.-Unleaded Gas Others		8,000.00		6,324.35	1,675.65	
2-69	Police Dept.-Out-of-State Travel		600.00			600.00	
3-4	Police Dept. 3 Vehicles		24,000.00		23,621.00	379.00	
	TOTAL POLICE DEPARTMENT	524.00	616,856.00	15,354.88	581,986.63	50,646.25	102.00
2-70	Animal Control Officer Fees		8,000.00		5,779.00	2,221.00	
2-70A	Animal Control Officer Mileage		1,500.00		292.64	1,207.36	
2-71	Animal Control Officer Expenses		2,000.00		1,857.58	142.42	
Art. 53	Animal Control Officer						
3/80	Van		6,400.00		6,395.00		5.00
	TOTAL ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER		17,900.00		14,324.22	3,570.78	5.00
2-72	Fire Dept. Chief's Salary		21,788.00		21,788.00		
2-73	Fire Dept. Permanent Firefighters		135,778.00		131,067.40	4,710.60	
2-74	Fire Dept. Call Firemen		18,690.00	3,000.00	21,686.81	3.19	
2-76	Fire Dept. Expenses		15,920.00	2,402.44			
	Utilities				8,382.90		
	Building Maintenance				1,900.66		
	Automotive Maintenance				7,222.23		
	Miscellaneous				815.88		
					18,321.67	.77	
2-77	Fire Dept. General Equipment		3,425.00		3,419.32	5.68	
2-78	Fire Dept. Uniform Allowance		1,500.00		1,499.90	.10	
2-79	Fire Dept. Out-of-State Travel		175.00		47.83	127.17	
3-5	Fire Dept. - Portable Radio		1,200.00		911.90	288.10	
Art. 54	Fire Dept.						
3/80	2 Permanent Firefighters		25,584.00		21,712.07	3,871.93	
Art. 35	Fire Dept.						
3/77	Jaws of Life Tool	226.44			226.44		
	Training Aids Gift Fund	245.67		221.75	80.00		387.42
	TOTAL FIRE DEPARTMENT	472.11	224,060.00	5,624.19	220,761.34	9,007.54	387.42
2-80	Civil Defense Expenses		900.00		231.73	668.27	
2-81	Ambulance Payrolls		28,000.00		25,423.10	2,576.90	
2-82	Ambulance Expenses		5,646.00		3,714.02	1,931.98	
2-82A	Unmanned Ambulance Expense		400.00		400.00		
Art. 55	Ambulance						
3/80	Chassis		21,000.00		21,000.00		
	TOTAL CIVIL DEFENSE/AMBULANCE		55,946.00		50,768.85	5,177.15	
2-83	Emergency Comm Payrolls		45,500.00	1,500.00	46,893.37	106.63	
2-84	Emergency Comm Expenses		10,000.00				
	Telephone				7,461.67		
	Equipment Repairs				784.84		
	Office Expense				611.65		
					8,858.16	1,141.84	
	TOTAL EMERGENCY COMMUNICATIONS		55,500.00	1,500.00	55,751.53	1,248.47	
2-85	Sealer of Wgts. & Measures Salary		300.00		300.00		
2-86	Sealer of Wgts. & Measures Expenses		200.00		199.97	.03	
2-87	Building Inspector's Salary		12,422.00		12,422.00		
2-88	Alternate Inspector's Salary		470.00		470.00		
2-89	Building Inspector's Expenses		1,400.00		1,399.81	.19	
2-90	Gas Inspector's Fees		1,200.00		746.00	454.00	
2-91	Gas Inspector's Expenses		500.00		333.09	166.91	
2-92	Wiring Inspector's Fees		8,400.00		6,025.50	2,374.50	
2-93	Wiring Inspector's Expenses		700.00		405.56	294.44	
	TOTAL INSPECTORS		25,592.00		22,301.93	3,290.07	

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2-94	Director of Lands & Natural Resources Salary		17,657.00		17,657.00		
2-95	Tree Dept. Salaries		43,795.00		38,599.48	5,195.52	
2-96	Tree Dept. Stetson Meadows Salaries		500.00			500.00	
2-97	Tree Dept. Clerical		696.00		655.62	40.38	
2-98	Tree Dept. Equipment Maintenance		10,000.00				
	Equipment Maintenance			4,096.50			
	Building Expenses			5,232.28			
	Uniform Allowance			402.86			
	Miscellaneous			<u>241.91</u>	9,973.55	26.45	
2-99	Tree Dept. Insect/Pest Control		1,587.00	3,500.00	4,647.75	439.25	
2-100	Tree Dept. Tree Maintenance		1,660.00		1,647.87	12.13	
2-101	Tree Dept. Public Grounds		4,658.00		4,618.42	39.58	
2-102	Tree Dept. Cemetery Care		5,408.00		5,398.11	9.89	
3-6	Tree Dept. - Motor Vehicle		4,900.00		4,740.00	160.00	
Art. 29	Tree Dept.						
3/80	Washington St. Trees/Shrubs		1,500.00		742.60		757.40
Art. 25	Tree Dept.						
3/79	Washington St. Trees/Shrubs	149.15			149.15		
	TOTAL TREE DEPARTMENT	149.15	92,361.00	3,500.00	88,829.55	6,423.20	757.40
HEALTH AND SANITATION							
2-103	Board of Health Salaries		350.00		350.00		
2-104	Board of Health Agents		11,500.00		5,028.12	6,471.88	
2-105	Board of Health Clerical		9,342.00	186.54	9,425.44	103.10	
2-106	School Nurses		43,500.00		42,152.98	1,347.02	
2-107	School Hygienist		7,141.00		7,141.00		
2-108	School Physician's Salary		4,164.00		4,164.00		
2-109	Animal Inspector's Fees		525.00		385.00	140.00	
2-110	Plumbing Inspector's Fees		2,700.00	221.50	2,921.50		
2-111	Plumbing Inspector's Expenses		100.00		86.16	13.84	
2-112	Board of Health-Aid & Expense		9,125.00	10.00			
	Animal Disposal				602.00		
	Printing/Postage/Supplies				630.12		
	Professional Services				5,190.25		
	Mileage				724.57		
	Dues/Meetings				379.28		
	Miscellaneous				574.91		
	Petty Cash				<u>10.00</u>		
2-113	Solid Waste Disposal		148,560.00		143,470.87	5,089.13	
2-114	Pine St. Landfill Maintenance		2,500.00		2,455.00	45.00	
2-115	Mosquito Control Expense		13,171.20		13,171.20		
Art. 39	Board of Health						
3/80	201 Wastewater Plan		31,500.00		8,000.00		23,500.00
	TOTAL BOARD OF HEALTH		284,178.20	418.04	246,862.40	14,233.84	23,500.00
HIGHWAYS AND DRAINAGE							
2-117	Highway Surveyor's Salary		18,757.00		18,757.00		
2-118	Highway Dept. Payrolls		84,573.00		73,125.92	11,447.08	
2-119	Highway Dept. Clerical		6,683.00		5,952.85	730.15	
2-120	Highway Out-of-State Travel		600.00		600.00		
2-121	Highway Dept. Town Account		16,900.00				
	Utilities				7,779.83		
	Printing/Postage/Supplies				1,483.19		
	Building Maintenance				269.39		
	Equipment Maintenance				231.40		
	Dues/Meetings				819.94		
	Materials				798.51		
	Contractors				4,434.92		
	Uniform Allowance				1,005.72		
	Miscellaneous				<u>77.10</u>		
2-122	Highway Signs & Markings		6,149.00		6,149.00		
2-123	Highway Snow Removal/Sanding		100,000.00		91,526.51	8,473.49	
2-124	Highway Equipment Maintenance		16,616.00		16,616.00		
2-125	Highway-Town Gasoline		66,750.00		40,361.26	26,388.74	
2-126	Highway Water Services		4,431.00		4,431.00		
2-127	Highway Drainage Supervisor		2,500.00		2,500.00		
	Grove St. Improvement Grant			1,600.00	1,600.00		
Art. 13	Highway Department						
3/80	Pickup Truck		10,000.00		10,000.00		
Art. 16	Highway Department						
3/80	Resurfacing Town Ways		46,500.00		46,500.00		
Art. 17	Highway Department						
3/80	Chapter 497 FY1981		50,000.00		50,000.00		
Art. 19	Highway Department						
3/80	Chapter 356 FY1981		18,680.00		18,680.00		
Art. 20	Highway Department						
3/80	Drainage Lincoln/Mt. Blue		20,000.00				20,000.00
Art. 21	Highway Department						
3/80	Drainage Old Oaken Bucket		75,000.00		9,233.71		65,766.29
Art. 23	Highway Department						
3/80	Study Norwell Homes Drainage		6,000.00		3,425.81		2,574.19
Art. 22	Highway Department						
3/80	Upper Norwell Homes Drainage			360,000.00	131,032.33		228,967.67
Art. 24	Highway Department						

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3/80	Lower Norwell Homes Drainage			350,000.00	36,368.02		313,631.98
Art. 13	Highway Department						
3/79	Dump Truck	4,202.47			30.00		4,172.47
Art. 14	Highway Department						
3/79	Chapter 497 FY1980	4,959.86			4,959.86		
Art. 17	Highway Department						
3/79	Drainage Projects	53,178.45			8,034.01		45,144.44
Art. 46	Highway Department						
3/78	Chapter 356 FY1978	40,187.00			40,187.00		
Art. 47	Highway Department						
3/78	Chapter 356 FY1979	40,187.00			40,187.00		
Art. 10	Highway Department						
3/77	Chapter 283 FY1978	30,684.00			30,684.00		
Art. 28	Highway Department						
3/76	Chapter 851	2,375.00			2,375.00		
Art. 27	Highway Department						
3/76	Chapter 765	22,048.00			22,048.00		
Art. 26	Highway Department						
3/76	Chapter 765	24,781.00			24,781.00		
Art. 25	Highway Department						
3/76	Chapter 765	22,048.00			22,048.00		
Art. 11	Highway Department						
3/75	Chapter 765	10,163.52			10,163.52		
Art. 12	Highway Department						
3/75	Chapter 825	30,684.00			30,684.00		
2-128	Street Lights		38,050.00	3,000.00	40,298.11	751.89	
	TOTAL HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT	285,498.30	588,189.00	714,600.00	860,238.91	47,791.35	680,257.04
VETERANS SERVICES							
2-131	Veterans' Agent's Salary		983.00		983.00		
2-132	Service Officer's Salary		1,308.00		1,308.00		
2-133	Agent's Expenses		645.00		515.18	129.82	
2-134	Veterans' Benefits		20,000.00	11,256.20	31,256.20		
	TOTAL VETERANS SERVICES		22,936.00	11,256.20	34,062.38	129.82	
SCHOOL DEPARTMENT							
2-135	Administration (1000)		123,950.00	150.00			
	Salaries				113,104.03		
	Printing/Postage/Supplies				1,965.98		
	Mileage				1,119.44		
	Dues/Meetings				2,844.85		
	Insurance				600.00		
	Advertising				575.29		
	Professional Services				683.75		
	Miscellaneous				142.14		
	Petty Cash				150.00	121,185.48	2,914.52
2-136	Instruction (2000)		3,841,000.00	319.10			
	Salaries				3,542,153.15		
	Educational Materials				117,296.89		
	Educational Services				4,489.60		
	Printing/Postage/Supplies				1,985.08		
	Professional Services				10,551.02		
	Mileage				2,750.41		
	Equipment Replacement/Repairs				4,319.20		
	Legal Expenses				12,548.76		
	Dues/Meetings				3,523.30		
	Contractors				3,565.83		
	Petty Cash				300.00	3,703,483.24	137,835.86
2-137	Other School Services (3000)		380,908.00				
	Salaries				34,632.26		
	Transportation Contract				393,781.80		
	Equipment Repairs/Maintenance				14,568.44		
	Insurance				2,145.00		
	Dues/Meetings				1,231.25		
	Educational Materials				22,498.91		
	Miscellaneous				2,431.60	471,289.26	(90,381.26)
2-138	Operations (4000)		802,340.00	60.00			
	Salaries				265,612.66		
	Gas Heat				188,611.70		
	Electricity				128,520.39		
	Building Maintenance				90,185.63		
	Telephone				13,821.75		
	Equipment Repairs				16,980.69		
	Custodial Supplies				23,454.96		
	Uniform Allowance				1,199.55		
	Contractors				2,725.50		
	Legal Expense				2,126.55		
	Automotive Expense				997.32		
	Miscellaneous				943.80	735,180.50	67,219.50
2-139	Capital Outlay (7000)		24,296.00			15,966.93	8,329.07
2-140	Special Class Tuition (9100)		159,720.00			183,124.11	(23,404.11)
2-141	Out-of-State Travel		2,000.00			488.06	1,511.94
2-142	Vocational Training		17,430.00			12,157.42	5,272.58
2-143	Adult Practical Arts		8,190.00			7,647.26	542.74
Art. 4	School Department						
6/81 SP	Energy Conservation		50,000.00				50,000.00

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Art. 31	School Department						
3/79	Repair Roofs	170,000.00			153,700.00	16,300.00	
	Title I ESEA Grant	13,651.48		13,528.00	13,801.47		13,378.01
	Title IVB Grant			12,486.00	12,455.29		30.71
	Title VI B Grant	880.97		48,400.00	47,911.98		1,368.99
	Career Incentive Grant	1,040.00			1,040.00		
	Indochinese Refugee Grant	6,465.00		206.00			6,671.00
	Energy Conservation Grant			18,960.30	18,960.30		
	General Education Expense	11,759.12			460.40		11,298.72
	School Lunch Revolving	20,382.22		240,575.57	249,246.88		11,710.91
	School Athletic Revolving	137.03		8,809.62	8,605.77		340.88
	TOTAL SCHOOL DEPARTMENT	224,315.82	5,409,834.00	343,494.59	5,756,704.35	126,140.84	94,799.22
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NORWELL	PUBLIC LIBRARY						
2-146	Director's Salary		15,547.00		15,547.00		
2-147	Library Payrolls		53,365.00		48,252.43	5,112.57	
2-148	Library Expenses		45,663.00	87.00			
	Utilities				11,545.98		
	Books/Periodicals				24,982.19		
	Building Maintenance				3,547.42		
	Printing/Postage/Supplies				3,957.85		
	Meetings/Travel				495.50		
	Equipment/Repairs				1,090.42		
	Advertising				55.64		
	Petty Cash				75.00		
2-149	Out-of-State Travel		100.00		89.60	10.40	
3-7	Library - Atlas Stand		650.00			650.00	
3-7A	Library - Bookcase		1,425.00			1,425.00	
Art. 7	Library						
3/80	State Aid		3,374.63		3,362.03		12.60
Art. 5	Library						
3/80	General Expense Fund		2,871.78		1,052.48		1,819.30
Art 5	Library						
3/79	General Expense Fund	20.89			20.89		
	Woman's Club Gift Fund	26.40		2,483.45	1,547.29		962.56
	Paul McCarthy Gift Fund			100.00	100.00		
	TOTAL NORWELL LIBRARY	47.29	122,996.41	2,670.45	115,721.72	7,197.97	2,794.46
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RECREATION							
2-151	Recreation Supt.'s Salary		14,857.00		11,723.15	3,133.85	
2-152	Recreation Payrolls		17,346.00	37.50	14,832.37	2,551.13	
2-153	Recreation Expenses		12,332.00	45.00			
	Athletic Equipment/Supplies				7,925.78		
	Printing/Postage/Supplies				437.81		
	Telephone				382.90		
	Automotive Expense				776.42		
	Advertising				188.04		
	Miscellaneous				61.74		
	Petty Cash				45.00		
	Woman's Club Gift Fund	125.82			87.56	2,559.31	38.26
	TOTAL RECREATION	125.82	44,535.00	82.50	36,460.77	8,244.29	38.26
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UNCLASSIFIED							
2-145	South Shore Regional School		77,845.00		77,845.00		
2-159	Unemployment Compensation		12,500.00		6,929.00	5,571.00	
2-160	Group Insurance-Town's Share		155,000.00		137,367.59	17,632.41	
2-161	Plymouth County Retirement		176,623.00		176,623.00		
2-162	Plymouth County Coop Extension		100.00		100.00		
2-163	Memorial Day Expenses		878.00		852.70	25.30	
2-164	Pensions & Annuities		6,093.00		5,680.58	412.42	
2-165	Town Reports & Budgets		7,000.00		4,825.51	2,174.49	
2-166	Town Schedule Insurance		146,950.00	1,163.53	148,113.53		
	TOTAL UNCLASSIFIED		582,989.00	1,163.53	558,336.91	25,815.62	
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ADVISORY BOARD							
2-156	Advisory Board Clerical		1,644.00		1,377.23	266.77	
2-157	Advisory Board Expenses		100.00		74.50	25.50	
2-158	Reserve Fund		75,000.00		66,636.18**	8,363.82	
	TOTAL ADVISORY BOARD		76,744.00		66,636.18**	8,656.09	
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WATER DEPARTMENT							
2-170	Water Commissioners		2,100.00		2,100.00		
2-171	Water Dept. Clerical		19,227.00		17,595.08	1,631.92	
2-171A	Water Supt.'s Salary		18,263.00			18,263.00	
2-172	Water Dept. Payrolls		44,833.00		40,598.43	4,234.57	
2-173	Water Services		15,440.00		15,440.00		
2-174	Water Dept. Expenses		48,836.00	18,021.66			
	Electricity				34,001.10		
	Heat				2,568.83		
	Telephone				2,194.54		
	Equipment Maintenance				13,808.02		
	Engineering				254.21		

	Balance 8/1/80	Appropriations 1980/81	Receipts Refunds Transfers	Expended 1980/81	Closed to Revenue	Forward to FY1982
Materials			1,655.15			
Uniform Allowance			339.01			
Office Expense			1,632.38			
Professional Services			537.00			
Meetings/Mileage			589.80			
Contractors			582.96			
Miscellaneous			462.50			
Petty Cash			25.00	58,650.50	8,207.16	
2-175 Water-Engineering Expense		5,000.00		5,000.00		
3-8 Water Dept. - Van		8,500.00		8,211.12	288.88	
3-8A Water Dept. - Well Cleaning		5,000.00		2,793.42	2,206.58	
3-8B Water Dept. - Meters/Hydrants		6,500.00		6,488.64	11.36	
3-8C Water Dept. - Roof		4,000.00		2,829.06	1,170.94	
Art. 38 Water Dept.						
3/80 Well Exploration Program		40,000.00		2,234.06		37,765.94
Art. 37 Water Dept.						
3/80 Main Installations			100,000.00	71,934.88		28,065.12
Art. 51 Water Dept.						
3/79 Engineering Expense	8,000.00					8,000.00
Art. 55 Water Dept.						
3/79 Developing Wells/Fields	10,000.00			10,000.00		
Art. 53 Water Dept.						
3/79 Main Installations	13,693.47			13,693.47		
Art. 14 Water Dept.						
3/78 Main Installations	11,210.69			11,210.69		
Art. 40 Water Dept.						
3/77 Replace Controls	2,522.32			289.71		2,232.61
Art. 45 Water Dept.						
3/76 Centralized Controls	5,735.21			112.08		5,623.13
Art. 44 Water Dept.						
3/76 Developing Wells	3,739.97			3,739.97		
Art. 33 Water Dept.						
3/72 Wash. St. Pumping Station	535.87			535.87		
Art. 36 Water Dept.						
3/70 Pumping Tests	128.00			128.00		
TOTAL WATER DEPARTMENT	55,565.53	217,699.00	118,021.66	273,584.98	36,014.41	81,686.80
CEMETERIES						
2-176 Care of Veterans' Graves		1,282.00		1,017.00	265.00	
2-177 Wash. St. Cemetery Salaries		1,000.00		540.00	460.00	
2-178 Wash. St. Cemetery Expenses		4,275.00		3,145.00	1,130.00	
Art. 26 Wash. St. Cemetery						
3/80 Cemetery Expansion		10,000.00		7,605.00		2,395.00
TOTAL CEMETERIES		16,557.00		12,307.00	1,855.00	2,395.00
BUILDING PROJECTS						
Art. 33 Pine Street Fire						
3/78 Station	18,397.39			13,989.04		4,408.35
MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS						
2-179 Maturing Debt						
Schools		700,000.00		700,000.00		
Schools		200,000.00*		200,000.00*		
Water		75,000.00		75,000.00		
Drainage		10,000.00		10,000.00		
Police Station		25,000.00		25,000.00		
Fire Stations		25,000.00		25,000.00		
Golf Course Land		20,000.00		20,000.00		
Sanitary Landfill		15,000.00		15,000.00		
TOTAL MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS		1,070,000.00		1,070,000.00		
2-180 INTEREST						
Schools		101,820.00		101,480.00	340.00	
Water		18,371.00		18,371.00		
Drainage		27,810.00		1,540.00		
Police Station		675.00		675.00		
Fire Stations		3,810.00		3,810.00		
Golf Course Land		1,760.00		1,760.00		
Sanitary Landfill		6,825.00		6,825.00		
Temporary Loans		10,000.00	(4,000.00)	463.52	5,536.48	
TOTAL INTEREST		171,071.00	(4,000.00)	161,194.52	5,876.48	
STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSMENTS						
Plymouth County Tax				128,887.56		
State Parks				45,990.93		
Mass. Bay Transportation Authority				129,468.77		
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Bills				1,287.15		
Retired Municipal Teachers				3,094.61		
Metropolitan Air Pollution Control				1,137.59		
Metropolitan Area Planning Council				1,344.45		
TOTAL STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSMENTS				311,211.06		

	Balance 7/1/80	Appropriations 1980/81	Receipts Refunds Transfers	Expended 1980/81	Closed to Revenue	Forward to FY1982
AGENCY, TRUST, AND INVESTMENT						
Agency						
Mass. Sales Tax				892.88		
Fish and Game Licenses				2,668.75		
Dog Licenses for the County				3,856.10		
Tailings				11.55		
Registry Releases				310.00		
Insurance Recoveries				10,495.48		
Payroll Deductions				1,748,377.94		
Trust						
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds				6,863.14		
Cemetery Permanent Fund				2,451.00		
Conservation Fund				20,158.20		
F. M. Cushing Fund				7,385.99		
John C. Bond Memorial Fund				100.00		
Investment						
Revenue Cash Investments				10,300,000.00		
Non-Revenue Cash Investments				3,400,000.00		
Federal Revenue Cash Investments				1,297,361.19*		
TOTAL AGENCY, TRUST, AND INVESTMENT				16,800,932.22		

REFUNDS

Taxes	7,677.38
Permits	25.00
Motor Vehicle Excise	15,785.69
Ambulance	20.00
Recreation	454.00
Water Rates	487.74
TOTAL REFUNDS	24,449.81

*Federal Revenue Sharing Funds

Payments from General Cash	26,374,245.29
Payments from Federal Revenue Cash	1,497,361.19
	<u>27,871,606.48</u>

RECAPITULATION

7/1/80 - 6/30/81

GENERAL CASH:

Balance 7/1/80	70,753.56	
Receipts	<u>26,480,068.50</u>	<u>26,550,822.06</u>
Payments	26,374,245.29	
Balance 6/30/81	<u>176,576.77</u>	<u>26,550,822.06</u>

FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING CASH:

Balance 7/1/80	469.45	
Receipts	<u>1,497,026.09</u>	<u>1,497,495.54</u>
Payments	1,497,361.19	
Balance 6/30/81	<u>134.35</u>	<u>1,497,495.54</u>

Town Boards, Committees and Department Schedules

BOARD OF SELECTMEN EXECUTIVE SECRETARY	Tuesday, 7:00 p.m. Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	TOWN HALL
ADVISORY BOARD	1st & 3rd Monday, 7:30 p.m.	TOWN HALL WATER DEPT. OFFICE
BOARD OF APPEALS BOARD OF ASSESSORS ASSESSORS CLERK	Meetings by Appointment Saturday, 9:30 a.m. Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	TOWN HALL TOWN HALL TOWN HALL
INSPECTORS BUILDING/WIRING/GAS/PLUMBING secretary	Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	TOWN HALL
CONSERVATION COMMISSION COUNCIL ON AGING DESIGN REVIEW BOARD PUBLIC LIBRARY TRUSTEES LIBRARY HOURS	1st & 3rd Thursday, 7:30 p.m. 2nd Monday, 4:00 p.m. 1st & 3rd Wednesday, 8:30 p.m. 3rd Tuesday, 8:00 p.m. Open 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday; 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Friday & Saturday Alternate Mondays, 8:00 p.m.	TOWN HALL TOWN HALL TOWN HALL POLICE STATION LIBRARY
BOARD OF HEALTH HEALTH DEPT. SECRETARY	Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	CENTRAL FIRE STA. TOWN HALL
HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT	Monday through Friday 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (Meetings by appointment)	GARAGE
HOUSING AUTHORITY	4th Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. Housing Authority Office 399 Washington St.	NORWELL GARDENS TOWN HALL TOWN HALL
PERSONNEL BOARD PLANNING BOARD SCHOOL COMMITTEE	2nd & 4th Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. Monday, 8:00 p.m. 1st & 3rd Monday, generally 7:30 p.m.	HIGH SCHOOL WATER DEPT. BLDG.
RECREATION COMMISSION RECREATION OFFICE	2nd Monday, 7:30 p.m. Tues., Weds., Thurs., 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.	WATER DEPT. BLDG.
TAX COLLECTOR/TREASURER	Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	TOWN HALL
TOWN ACCOUNTANT	Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	TOWN HALL
TOWN CLERK	Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	TOWN HALL
WATER COMMISSIONERS WATER DEPT. OFFICE	Every other Thursday, 7:30 p.m. Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	WATER DEPT. BLDG. WATER DEPT. BLDG.

NOTE: TOWN HALL OFFICES CLOSED TO PUBLIC ON WEDNESDAYS.

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Telephone Directory

Town Government and Services

EMERGENCIES: Police, Fire, Ambulance	659-2211
Accounting—Town Accountant	659-4946 Ext. 4
Administration/Selectmen—Executive Secretary	659-4946 Ext. 3
Assessments/Abatements/Taxes—Board of Assessors	659-4956 Ext. 21
Birth Certificates—Town Clerk	659-4946 Ext. 7
Building, Wiring, Gas Permits	659-4946 Ext. 10
Collector/Treasurer	659-4946 Ext. 24
Conservation Commission	659-4946 Ext. 23
Council on Aging	659-7878
Dead Animals—Board of Health	659-4946 Ext. 9
Death Certificates—Town Clerk	659-4946 Ext. 7
Dog Licenses—Town Clerk	659-4946 Ext. 7
Dog Control—Dog Officer	659-2927
Elections—Town Clerk	659-4946 Ext. 7
Fire Department	659-2211
Gas Inspections	659-4946 Ext. 10
Highway Department	659-7094
Health Nuisances—Health Agent	659-4946 Ext. 9
Housing Authority	659-7690
Library, Library Director	659-2015
Oil Burner Permits—Fire Dept.	659-2211
Marriage Licenses—Town Clerk	659-4946 Ext. 7
Plumbing Inspections	659-4946 Ext. 9
Police Department	659-7979
Recreation Department	659-7227
Sanitary Inspections—Board of Health	659-4946 Ext. 9
School Administration, Superintendent	659-2277
Street Maintenance/Snow Removal—Highway Dept.	659-7094
Taxes/Assessments/Abatements—Bd. of Assessors	659-4946 Ext. 21
Treasurer/Collector	659-4946 Ext. 24
Tree Removal—Dir. of Lands & Nat. Res.	659-7845
Veterans' Agent (messages via Town Clerk)	659-4946 Ext. 7
Voting & Registration—Town Clerk	659-4946 Ext. 7
Water Department	659-4371
Welfare Office (Rockland)	878-1899
Zoning Officer	659-4946 Ext. 10

